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HARVEST GIANT SPECIAL

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MARJIE

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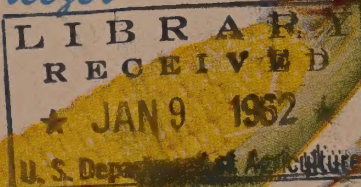
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Ponderosa Lemon

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Prices

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Outdoor
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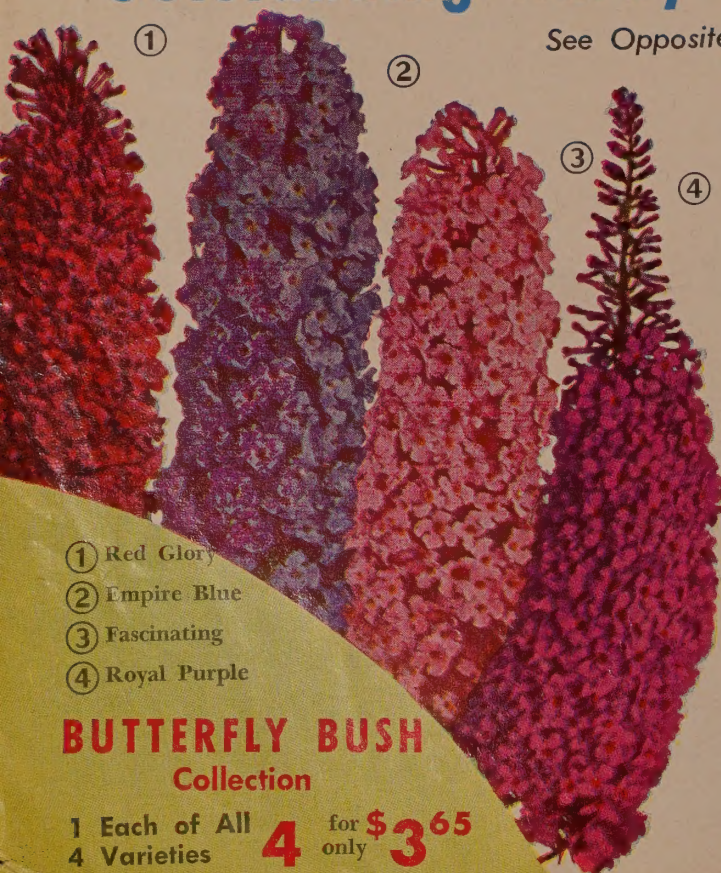
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Outstanding Hardy Outdoor Beauties

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- ① Red Glory
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4 Varieties **4** for **\$3.65**
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One plant each of Pearl of Can-
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Double English Violets

Pink
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RARE PLANTS for your WINDOW GARDEN

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The Albert and Elizabeth Azalea produces an abundance of large, double flowers 3 to 4" across during the regular winter blooming season and continues to flower intermittently through most of the year. Easy to grow and makes a most satisfactory and beautiful house plant and a popular garden shrub in mild climates. (\$1.75 each) (2 for \$3.00) postpaid.

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Grow 3-Pound Lemons in Your Living Room!

Grow and Bear Fruit Indoors. These amazing citrus plants will produce usable, edible fruits right in your living room, on plants less than 2 ft. high. Fragrant, white blooms appear several times each year, followed by brilliant fruits that will remain on the plants for months. Enjoy the thrill of Orange blossoms in your window garden in mid-winter.

OTAHEITE ORANGE. A true Orange in miniature, with fruits 1 to 2 inches in diameter. One-year-old pot plants, (\$1.25 each) (2 for \$2.25). Two-year-old Bearing-age plants, (\$2.95 each) (2 for \$5.00) postpaid.

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We found this plant (*Cuphea Hyssopifolia*) in Florida a few years ago and we never cease to be amazed at its tremendous blooming ability. The bright purple flowers are less than a half-inch across but they pop out all over the plant and it is never out of bloom. Our first plant received several years ago was scarcely 3 inches high but it was in bloom then and never missed a day in the five years we had it. You will never regret buying this one. (\$1.25 each) (3 for \$2.95) postpaid.

EXOTIC BIRD OF PARADISE

The Magic of the Jungle for Your Indoor Garden

STRELITZIA REGINAE. Exotic blooms, festooned with red, yellow, blue and orange, rivaling the jungle bird of the same name and exotic nature, this amazing plant speaks for attention from everyone. Its flower seems alive and ready to speak, and its broad, tropical foliage is charmingly decorative. The cut flowers sell for \$1.00 each at the Florists. Plants: (\$1.75 each) (2 for \$3.00) prepaid.

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Just imagine Geranium blossoms that look exactly like miniature, half open rosebuds, just at that stage when roses are the most charming. Compact, bushy plants that are free-flowering and bloom when very young. The variety Appleblossom, as the name implies, is a dainty, blush-white, edged pink. (\$1.00 each) (3 for \$2.70) postpaid.

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The Most Unusual Plants In All The World! They Capture Their Own Food



Pitcher Plant

Carnivorous, or Insectivorous, plants are the most curious and unusual plants in all the world and when given proper growing conditions these "flesh-eaters" will be the conversation piece of your window garden.

Carnivorous plants take many physical forms but all have one thing in common—the ability to attract and capture small, flying or crawling insects which they digest, or absorb, into the plant tissues. Apparently, insectivorous plants consume large volumes of insects when they are available but are capable of healthy growth for long periods without them so you need not be concerned if insects do not seem to be present.

A few of the carnivorous plants are quite easy to handle under cultivation provided they are given sufficient moisture and humidity. They will do best grown in pure sphagnum moss, which will be supplied free, packed around the roots of the plants when you receive them. Complete growing instructions furnished with each order.

PITCHER PLANT (*Sarracenia purpurea*). Best known and easiest to grow of all the Pitcher Plants. The curiously shaped leaves are open, pitcher-shaped receptacles in which the plant entraps and devours the insects it catches. The "Pitchers" are mostly 4 to 6 inches long and variable in color from bright green in the shade to dark reddish-purple in full sun.

Plants \$1.50 each) (3 for \$3.95) postpaid.

HOODED COBRA PLANT (*Darlingtonia*). Like the Pitcher Plants, the leaves of the "Cobra" are hollow pipes but the mouth, or orifice, is covered with a rounded hood, suggesting the hooded cobra of India. Beautifully colored and mottled and grows about 18" high. Honey glands lure the insect inside from whence it cannot return. The culture is like that of the Pitcher Plants and complete detailed instructions are furnished with each order.

Plants (\$2.50 each) (3 for \$5.95) postpaid.

FREE. With each order for Carnivorous Plants we will pack enough pure sphagnum moss around the roots in which to pot the plants.



Huntsman's Horn

HUNTSMAN'S HORN (*Sarracenia flava*). A very attractive and distinctively different carnivorous plant that grows about a foot high in cultivation. The funnel-like tubes are trumpet-shaped, bright yellowish-green with red, longitudinal veins. Growth habit and culture are the same as the Pitcher Plant. This variety seems to have the greatest capacity for absorbing insects.

Plants (\$2.00 each) (3 for \$4.95) postpaid.

VENUS FLY TRAP (*Dionaea muscipula*). A perennial plant 4 to 5 inches across that feeds itself on flies and other insects. The leaves are hinged in the center to form a trap when open but when closed form a pouch or "stomach" in which trapped insects are digested. For best results we recommend growing Fly Traps in a miniature greenhouse or terrarium bowl. 3 dormant roots in a single package for \$2.00, postpaid.

Miniature Plastic Greenhouse supplies perfect humidity and space in which to grow the 3 Venus Fly Traps. Measures 8 x 6 x 5 1/4" high. (\$2.50 each) postpaid.

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Butterfly Bush (*Buddleia*) flowers without a break from early summer until frost. The fragrant flowers attract hundreds of colorful butterflies, hence its name. Grows 4 to 6 ft. high, dies to the ground each winter, sending up a new top the next spring. We ship easy to transplant pot plants that will produce thousands of blooms the very first summer they are planted.

EMPIRE BLUE. Nearest to true blue. **RED GLORY.** Rich ruby-red.

FASCINATING. Beautiful orchid-pink. **ROYAL PURPLE.** Deep, rich purple.

PRICES: Your choice of above (\$1.00 each) (3 for \$2.75) (6 for \$5.00) postpaid.

FRAGRANT LILY-of-the-VALLEY

An ideal ground cover beneath shrubs and trees in dense shade. Grows almost anywhere and especially in the shade. Grows 8 to 10" and blooms in May.

ROYAL PINK. This rare variety came to us from France, where we found it several years ago. The delightfully fragrant blooms are just like the popular white-flowered variety, except for the color. Will thrive in dense shade where most plants fail. Given reasonable care will produce an abundance of bloom for a lifetime and will make a most unusual, dainty corsage. (85¢ each) (3 for \$1.95).

DOUBLE WHITE. This rare and unusual Lily-of-the-Valley has tiny bells inside of larger ones, with two or more miniature bells at the side. Fragrant. (3 for \$1.00).

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EVERBLOOMING MINIATURE ROSES

Miniature Roses enable you to enjoy America's most popular flower, no matter where you live. Enjoy the hundreds of dainty blooms summer or winter, indoors or out. The varieties we offer are winter hardy outside here in Michigan. They are more rugged than their full-sized Hybrid Tea cousins and more persistent in their blooming habits. They grow a foot or less in height and will adapt themselves to the flower garden, rockery, window box or planter. They are ideal for low, colorful borders and make excellent pot plants. Tiny Rose buds, smaller than Peas, make the daintiest corsages you can imagine. 1-yr.-old plants ready to bloom. Your choice of the following varieties:

JACKIE. Creamy yellow. One-inch blooms.

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POMPON DE PARIS. Pea-sized buds. Bright pink blossoms 3/4-inch across.

WHITE FAIRY. Dime-sized full double white blooms, flushed pink.

PRICES: Your choice of varieties, (\$1.25 each); (3 for \$3.25); (6 for \$5.95), postpaid.

FRAGRANT DOUBLE ENGLISH VIOLET

A gem for the shady spot, this large, double, deep blue Violet is unforgettably fragrant. It grows only a few inches high and blooms in early spring on long "cuttable" stems, and again in the fall. Sometimes, if well protected, it will bloom in mid-winter. Almost a year around pleasure for your garden and may be used as a house plant in a cool room. 1-yr. old plants. (\$1.25 each) (3 for \$3.40) (6 for \$6.40) (12 for \$12.10) postpaid.

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YOUR GUIDE to the BEST GARDEN in TOWN

As life itself must depend on the soil for its existence, home gardening becomes a means of making that life more enjoyable. The mysteries and wonderful beauties of watching plants grow is an experience for young and old alike. The pleasure of gardening can provide your table with the very best in fresh fruits and vegetables and be of considerable help to the family food budget.

The Vitamin content of fruits and vegetables is greatest when they reach the table fresh. Flavor, texture and all other measures of quality rapidly deteriorate once a product is picked from the plant or tree, so the sooner it reaches the table the less loss of quality. What could be faster than garden to table?

A well landscaped dooryard not only adds beauty to the exterior of your home but provides cooling shade for the interior. Trees and shrubs provide a haven for birds and berried plants will provide them with food

and, at the same time, greatly enhance property values. Gardening, whether it be performed for food or beauty, for pleasure or profit, will provide a more abundant life.

The instructions and suggestions here are brief and of a general nature but we hope they will be of assistance to the beginner as well as the experienced gardener. Complete planting instructions for each variety of seed we sell is printed on the package and planting instructions are furnished with all Bulb orders.

Our Customer Service Department has a year 'round staff of gardening experts who are always ready to advise you on any of your gardening problems. We want you to have the "Best Garden in Town" so please write us when you need help. We maintain a supply of printed bulletins on many gardening subjects that are yours for the asking and a list of them is published at the bottom of this page.

Important Rules And Suggestions For Planting Seeds

Good rich soil will naturally give you a better garden, but nearly all types of soil are suitable for growing something. The poor soils can be improved by spading in some good soil, manure or small quantities of peat. The best fertilizer is manure or compost, but, when not available, it is a good idea to use commercial fertilizer in the soil each year before planting. For best results, a small quantity of commercial fertilizer can also be worked into the soil around the plants during mid-season when they are about half-grown.

Even though the planting instructions are on each package of seed, the tendency is to plant all varieties too deep. This is particularly true of small seeds. Uniform depth of planting can be more easily controlled by thoroughly working and leveling the soil before planting. The soil over the seeds should be pressed firmly after covering and if the soil is loose, as it should be, it should be remembered that the seed will be pushed down deeper when the soil is firmed. In loose soil, fine seeds should be just barely covered and when the soil is firmed, the seeds will be at the proper depth.

Two varieties sown in a row at the same time is beneficial for some slower germinating seeds. Radish is ideal for planting with carrot, celery, parsley and parsnip. The radish will come up first and mark the row for cultivating and weeding. The radish can be left in the row until large enough to harvest. It is also a good idea to sow the slower germinating seeds thickly to help the sprouts break through the crust on the surface. When up, they can be thinned to the proper spacing.

Where an early, main crop and late harvest variety is available in the same vegetable, they can be planted all at one time for an all season supply. Other short season varieties can be sown every two weeks for an all season supply. After the early crop is harvested the same land is available for some other variety. One should not overlook the mid-summer planting of a great many vegetables that provide good fall crops. This lets you get the most from your garden and you will have tasty fresh vegetables in late summer and fall. Some varieties are at their best for freezing when matured in the cooler days of fall.

Those wanting the most from their garden and to have it early, will want to start some varieties inside and transplant to the open ground after danger from frost. If earliness is of no concern, most of them can be sown in the open and will give just as good results. They will just come later and you will have a shorter season for enjoying them.

Starting seeds indoors has been simplified by the use of aluminum trays and NODAMPOFF sphagnum moss. Fill the trays nearly to the top with firmly packed damp moss and sprinkle the seeds on the surface. If seedlings are to remain in pans until ready for the garden, use soil covered with $\frac{1}{4}$ " of moss. With fine seed no covering is necessary. The larger seeds should be just barely covered with additional dry moss and sprinkled lightly. The moss is again firmed and the job is done. The seeds sprout and grow to transplanting size without additional attention other than thinning and feeding with liquid fertilizer supplied with the

moss. You will find these items listed among the garden supplies in this catalog. This method of starting seeds is faster than starting them in soil and the number of days from seeding to planting in the open can be reduced by as much as 10 to 15%. It is usually better to use less days than recommended, rather than more, as smaller plants transplanted will give better results than the tall spindly ones.

As a word of caution, some of the very small seeds such as Begonia, Hybrid Petunia, etc., are quite expensive and a package contains only a small amount of seeds. In order to get many plants, it becomes necessary to start them inside. It is easy when following the method suggested above. This is also true of the varieties of flower seeds that take a long time to germinate such as cactus, cyclamen, fuchsia and iris. Varieties such as eggplants, peppers and tomatoes are very easy to start inside. Besides the fun of growing your own plants, you are able to have a wider choice of varieties and have the special strains you want. You are not limited to the few standard varieties that are usually offered in plants.

Normal weather conditions will give a satisfactory return from the small garden without dusting or spraying in most years. However, more abundance and better quality can usually be had, by applying as a preventive measure the all purpose chemicals now on the market. They are easy to use and are well worth while. The brands we recommend are listed in this catalog.

PLANTING TABLES FOR A SUMMER LONG VEGETABLE GARDEN

Varieties That Can Be Planted Early When the Ground Is Still Cool

Asparagus	Lettuce
Broad Beans	Leek
Broccoli	Mustard
Brussels Sprouts	Onion
Carrots	Parsley
Cress	Parsnip
Celery	Peas
Cabbage	Radish
Cauliflower	Rutabaga
Collards	Salsify
Endive	Spinach
Kale	Turnip
Kohl Rabi	

Varieties That Can Be Planted in Mid-Summer for a Fall Crop

The planting time will vary in different climates, but if seeds of these varieties are planted about 60 days before your first fall frost, they should all mature satisfactorily. Where plants are indicated, they should be started earlier so the plants will be ready to set 60 days before frost.

Bush Beans	Kale
Beets	Kohl Rabi
Broccoli (plants)	Lettuce
Brussels Sprouts (plants)	Mustard
Cabbage (plants)	Onions (green)
Cauliflower (plants)	Radish
Collards	Spinach
Cress	Tampala
Endive	Turnip

Varieties that Should Not Be Planted Until the Ground Becomes Warm

Beans, Lima	Peanuts
Beans, Snap	Peppers (plants)
Corn	Pumpkin
Cucumber	Squash
Egg Plant (plants)	Sweet Potato
Melons	(plants)
Okra	Tomato (plants)

Varieties to Plant Every 2 or 3 Weeks For a Continuous Supply

Beets (greens)	Lettuce (Oak Leaf, Matchless) (Salad Bowl & Slobolt)
Cress (Pepper Grass)	
Mustard	Spinach
Kohl Rabi	Tampala
Radishes	

PLANT BY THE MOON

DO YOU KNOW?

WHY flower seeds should be planted during certain moon phases?

WHEN corn, beans and other vegetables should be planted?

WHEN to transplant, prune, graft or destroy weeds, according to the moon?

These and many other questions are answered and explained.

The "Moon Sign Book" gives complete instructions in the use of Planetary Influence on Planting, Harvesting, etc., and many other features of personal interest. It tells what to do and when to do it, according to astrology.

This planetary daily guide is not just a folder, it is a full sized book containing more than 250 pages and has been used by thousands of people for more than 50 years. Farmers, Gardeners and Fruit Growers, in fact, everyone should have this valuable book. Try it and be convinced.

1962 Moon Sign Book, \$1.50 postpaid



Burgess' Garden Bulletins

We have prepared for your use circulars and bulletins on many varieties and subjects. They are yours for the asking but your request can be handled faster if it is mailed to us separately from your orders. Just a Postal Card will do and be sure to ask for them by title or subject. See list below.

Annals for Fall Planting

Asparagus & Rhubarb
Blueberries
Bramble Fruits
Broad-Leaved Evergreens
Carnivorous Plants
Chrysanthemums
Citrus Fruits (Indoors)
Dwarf Fruits
Evergreens

Flowering Bulbs and
How to Grow Them
Fruit Tree Pollination
Grapes

Growing Head Lettuce
How to Acidify Soil
House Plants
Nut Trees

Orchard Fruits
Planning the Perennial Border
Plants for Shade

Roses
Squash Vine Borer, Control
Strawberries
Tomatoes
Tree and Shrub Care

Department of Agriculture Bulletins

Many State Colleges and Experiment Stations have helpful bulletins in the field of Agriculture and Horticulture that are distributed free or for a nominal fee. Consult your County Agricultural Agent on specific problems.

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We either grow our seeds, bulbs and plants on our own farms or they are grown under our supervision where soil and climate will produce the best quality. Supplying your gardening needs is a full-time,

THE BURGESS GUARANTEE

1. We want only satisfied customers and will do all that is humanly possible to complete every transaction to your satisfaction. Our guarantee offers you more protection than any other in the Nursery Industry and we will stand behind it if your order is not completely satisfactory. Please help us by making your report promptly and **BE SURE TO INCLUDE THE ORIGINAL ORDER SO WE CAN MAKE THE ADJUSTMENT WITHOUT DELAY.**

2. **QUALITY.** We unconditionally guarantee everything we sell to be as described and of the quality, grade and size specified in this catalog. If your purchase should not be satisfactory you may return the goods immediately, with your original order, and we will refund the full purchase price. Should an error occur in the handling of your order, please explain the error in detail, returning the original order with your report, and we will correct it as promptly as possible.

3. **DAMAGED SHIPMENTS.** Occasionally a shipment is broken in transit or Bulbs and House Plants may be frozen during severe weather. In such cases notify us promptly, returning your original order, and we will replace the damaged goods without charge.

4. **SEEDS.** We positively guarantee all seeds sold by us to be exactly as described, free from disease and insect pests and of high germination. We also guarantee them to be true to name and will replace any that may prove otherwise, through a possible error.

5. **BULBS.** All flowering bulbs in this catalog are guaranteed to grow the first season after planting. Any bulb purchased from us that is planted as instructed and fails to grow will be replaced free.

6. **HOUSE PLANTS AND PERENNIALS.** Our House Plants and Perennials are guaranteed to reach you in good growing condition and to live for 30 days after they are received. We believe this period of protection is ample for all varieties to recover from transplanting and resume their normal growth. Pot-grown plants, shipped in full leaf, frequently turn yellow while in transit or even lose their leaves when transplanted. Do not be alarmed as this is the normal behavior of some varieties. New foliage should appear in a few weeks.

7. **DORMANT NURSERY STOCK.** Immediately upon receipt, dormant woody plants should be placed in a tub of water, tops and all, for 24 hours and then planted at once. Any stock that fails to grow during the first growing season after delivery will be replaced free.

8. Even with Burgess' superior quality seeds, bulbs and plants we cannot guarantee the crop and will be responsible only to the extent of the original purchase price.

year around business with Burgess, not just a sideline for a few weeks in the Spring. Everyone in our organization is trained especially for his part in the handling of your order.

It is easier to buy by mail. No distractions, no traffic or parking problems and no baby sitters. Simply sit down in the quiet privacy of your own home, study the Burgess catalog and make the variety selections that best suit your own personal or family needs.

Our delivery service is prompt and right to your door. The selection of plant materials is done only by trained employees who understand plants. Such care may sometimes delay filling your order during the Spring planting season when thousands of orders are waiting to be filled. Bad weather may also be a delaying factor but you can help by sending your order well in advance of planting time.

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"BLIZZARD BELT" BRAND
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WORLD'S FINEST TOMATO SEED

ONLY PURE BURGESS STRAINS

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A trial will let you, too, join the thousands of customers who already know the superior quality of Burgess' Seeds.

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We are the leading Tomato Seed grower, and grow more varieties than any other concern in the world. With this experience, we know varieties and feel we are qualified to produce the finest Tomato Seed that can be produced. All are pure strains.

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All of our tomato seed is produced right here in Michigan, the ideal growing area for seed to plant in all climates. Our trade-mark is "BLIZZARD-BELT." All of our seed is carefully produced for SEED ONLY. None of it is produced as a by-product of tomato juice, as is the case of many other growers.

"3-Way" Quality Check

First, to insure pure strains, all of our Tomato stock seed (planting stock) is grown and bred right on our own seed breeding farm. Second, all of the growing crops are thoroughly checked for quality and disease resistance several times during the growing season. Finally, the seed is all fermented in its own juices and pulp to properly cure it and destroy seed-borne fungus and disease germs that might be present.



Above photo shows the heavy yield and plant size of our No. 1 Hybrid Tomato.

Burgess' HYBRID No. 1

55 days. (Extra Early.) The earliest for its size of all Tomatoes on the market today. The small determinate type vines are very compact and will be literally covered with deep red fruits. First fruits to ripen will weigh up to 7 oz. each, 3" across and 2 1/4" deep. For size of plants, it will yield more fruits than any variety yet introduced. For best results, plants should be set early and 2' apart. To be first with vine-ripened fruits, this is the one to plant. (Pkt., 60 seeds, 75c) (Jumbo Pkt., 180 seeds, \$1.85) (1/8 oz. \$4.75) (1/4 oz. \$8.75) (1/2 oz. \$16.00) (oz. \$28.00) (1/4 lb. \$85.00) (1/2 lb. \$145.00).

Burgess' HYBRID No. 2

65 days. (Early.) Ripens 10 days after Hybrid No. 1 with larger fruits that are bright red and almost completely free of cracking. The first to ripen will weigh up to 9 1/2 oz. each, 3 1/2" across and 2 1/2" deep. They are well finished with uniform color clear to the stem. The determinate vines are compact, medium in size and give good foliage protection for the fruit. Plants may be planted as close as 2 1/2' apart. An unusually heavy producer for an early variety. (Pkt., 60 seeds, 75c) (Jumbo Pkt., 180 seeds, \$1.85) (1/8 oz. \$4.75) (1/4 oz. \$8.75) (1/2 oz. \$16.00) (oz. \$28.00) (1/4 lb. \$85.00) (1/2 lb. \$145.00).

Burgess' HYBRID No. 3

75 days. (Early Main Crop.) Heavy yielding, mid-season Tomato to follow Hybrid No. 2 with deep red fruits that are smooth and well finished clear to the stem. The first ripe fruits will weigh up to 10 1/2 oz. each, 3 3/4" across and 2 1/2" deep. The robust medium height vines carry a heavy yield of top quality fruits and should be set 3' apart. Plant along with Hybrid No. 1 and Hybrid No. 2 for a continuous supply of Tomatoes from the first extra early on through the balance of the season. (Pkt., 60 seeds, 75c) (Jumbo Pkt., 180 seeds, \$1.85) (1/8 oz. \$4.75) (1/4 oz. \$8.75) (1/2 oz. \$16.00) (oz. \$28.00) (1/4 lb. \$85.00) (1/2 lb. \$145.00).

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All the Newest PLUS the Best of the Old

New varieties are in process of hybridization or testing at the Burgess' Seed Breeding Station and will be offered for sale as soon as they are proven worthwhile. Old strains are constantly being maintained for purity. You will make no mistake in planting Burgess' Tomato Seed. No other can be finer. Why get less than the best?

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Burgess' True F1 Hybrids

We are especially proud of our fine Burgess Hybrids. Their hybrid vigor makes them outstanding in almost every respect. Note that they are all F₁ Hybrids, which are produced by the most careful hand pollinating. Do not confuse our scientifically grown F₁'s with the many F₂'s on the market which are actually only second generation seed from F₁'s and not hybrids at all.



Perfection HYBRID

75 days. (Early Main Crop.) This near-perfect F₁ Hybrid Tomato is one of the finest yet introduced. It has been grown in trials in all parts of the country, reports have given it a high rating in quality of fruit as well as yield when compared with other early main-crop varieties. The fruits finish to a dark red color and are extra meaty and of mild flavor. They are deep globe shape and relatively free from all types of cracking. The first fruits to ripen will weigh up to 11 oz. each, 3 1/2" across and 2 3/4" deep. The vines are tall with fairly heavy foliage that gives good protection to the fruit. They should be planted 4' apart. Recommended for market and shipping, as well as the home garden. Gives a good color when canned and makes an extra good quality pack. (Pkt., 60 seeds, 75c) (Jumbo pkt., 180 seeds, \$1.85) (1/8 oz. \$4.75) (1/4 oz. \$8.75) (1/2 oz. \$16.00) (oz. \$28.00) (1/4 lb. \$85.00) (1/2 lb. \$145.00).

All-Season Hybrid Collection

One Pkt. each of HYBRIDS

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EARLY SALAD HYBRID

45 days. This earliest of all Tomatoes was developed in the Burgess scientific workshop, to meet the popular demand for a salad Tomato that can be served whole. The fruits measure $1\frac{1}{2}$ by $1\frac{1}{4}$ inches, just the right size to serve whole, and their bright red color gives an attractive and appetizing appearance to an otherwise drab and uninteresting combination of salad greens.

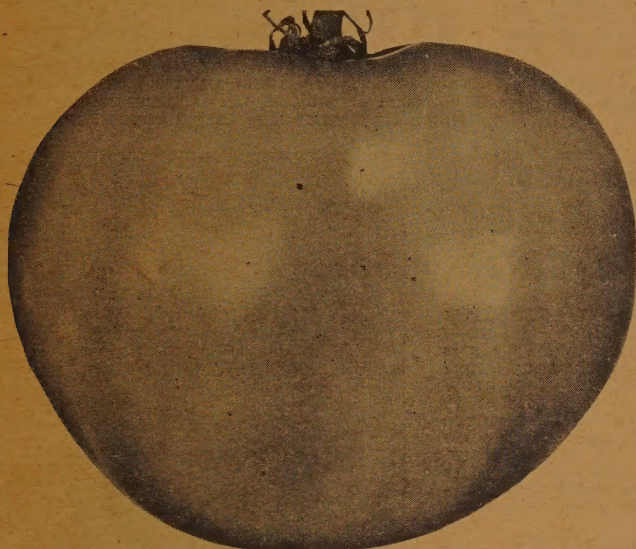
EARLY SALAD has a number of outstanding bred-in features that make it a must for the gourmet gardener. The plants are compact, growing only 6 to 8 inches high, with a spread of a little more than two feet. Each plant will produce 250 to 300 delicious fruits that will remain on the plant in good condition for a full month, even in hot weather. EARLY SALAD not only bears early but continues to produce a seemingly endless crop for two months, or until killed by frost. They are sweet, juicy and firm; delicious in flavor, and are most attractive served whole. EARLY SALAD is also suitable for freezing and are best served in salads just before they are completely thawed.

EARLY SALAD is not only a must for the home gardener but is most promising as a market variety. It will sell on sight packed in berry boxes and offered at roadside stands or fancy produce markets. (Pkt., 60 seeds, \$1.00) (Jumbo Pkt., 180 seeds, \$2.50) ($\frac{1}{8}$ oz. \$6.00) ($\frac{1}{4}$ oz. \$11.00) ($\frac{1}{2}$ oz. \$20.00) (oz. \$35.00) ($\frac{1}{4}$ lb. \$100.00) ($\frac{1}{2}$ lb. \$170.00)



JUMBO HYBRID

80 days. (Main Crop.) We have developed Jumbo to give you an EXTRA LARGE quality Tomato that has depth as well as width of fruit. It has the finest eating qualities of any Tomato we have yet introduced and is a top performer in all test trials. So highly praised, it has earned its place in every garden. The EXTRA MEATY and EXTRA MILD fruits are well proportioned and grow to $4\frac{1}{2}$ " across and $3\frac{1}{4}$ " deep. Many will weigh up to 2 lbs. each. The color is EXTRA-DARK RED from the outside to the very center, thus making the sliced fruits especially attractive. The vines are medium-tall with good foliage coverage. Besides being EXTRA FINE for the home garden, tests have indicated it to be tops for the market and canning. (Pkt., 60 seeds, \$1.00) (Jumbo Pkt., 180 seeds, \$2.50) ($\frac{1}{8}$ oz. \$6.00) ($\frac{1}{4}$ oz. \$11.00) ($\frac{1}{2}$ oz. \$20.00) (oz. \$35.00) ($\frac{1}{4}$ lb. \$100.00) ($\frac{1}{2}$ lb. \$170.00)



Burgess HYBRID "A"

68 days. (Early.) The LARGE FRUITED early F₁ Hybrid that has been given a high rating, for early market, by experiment stations in nearly every part of the country. The medium-tall vines produce big yields of well-finished deep red fruits early and continue to bear well into mid-season. Fruits are firm, meaty and mild. They will weigh as much as 15 oz. each, 4" across and $2\frac{3}{4}$ " deep. Plants may be set 3' apart or closer when staked. They will give heavy early production of top quality fruits. Demand for this variety has been increasing each year. (Pkt., 60 seeds, 50c) (Jumbo Pkt., 180 seeds, \$1.25) ($\frac{1}{8}$ oz. \$3.25) ($\frac{1}{4}$ oz. \$6.00) ($\frac{1}{2}$ oz. \$11.00) (oz. \$20.00) ($\frac{1}{4}$ lb. \$60.00) ($\frac{1}{2}$ lb. \$100.00)

MICHIGAN-OHIO FORCING HYBRID

78 days. (Michigan State Forcing X Ohio W. R. 7.) This cross of two fine greenhouse varieties makes an outstanding F₁ Hybrid for forcing. It is Fusarium Wilt Resistant, which is an important factor. The medium size red fruits are globular in shape. They are firm with thick outer walls. The vines are tall and vigorous and have the ability to set a greater amount of fruit on the first clusters than other forcing varieties. In trials, it has shown exceptional ability to set in dark weather. It has out-produced other forcing varieties. Michigan State University has produced more than 100 tons of marketable fruit per acre in greenhouse trials. We highly recommend it for inside planting. (Pkt., 60 seeds, \$1.00) (Jumbo Pkt., 180 seeds, \$2.50) ($\frac{1}{8}$ oz. \$6.00) ($\frac{1}{4}$ oz. \$11.00) ($\frac{1}{2}$ oz. \$20.00) (oz. \$35.00) ($\frac{1}{4}$ lb. \$100.00)

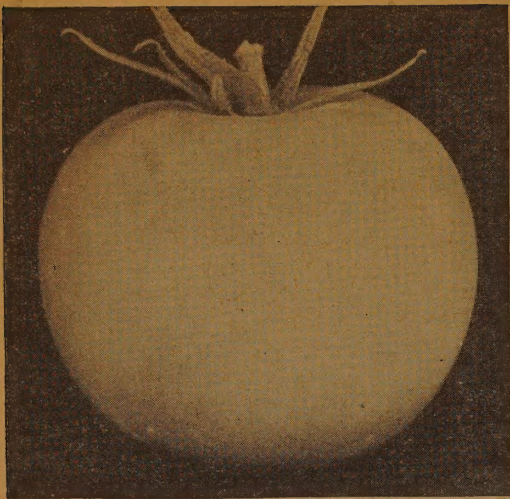


SUPER COLOSSAL HYBRID RED

85 days. At last we have succeeded in developing a wonderful, new, SUPER-SIZE Hybrid Tomato from our already famous Improved Colossal variety. This new hybrid is not only LARGER than its parents, but is EARLIER, MORE PRODUCTIVE, FINER EATING AND MORE UNIFORM in shape and size. Now, you, too, can grow these enormous Tomatoes that will average a full pound in weight and under suitable conditions, frequently reach $2\frac{1}{2}$ pounds each. The extra-thick flesh is mild and meaty and of a deep red color when fully ripe. It is an F₁ Hybrid and therefore uniform in habit and growth. Be sure to grow and eat this luscious super-sized fruit this year. Truly A BRAG PATCH VARIETY. (Pkt., 60 seeds, \$1.00) (Jumbo Pkt., 180 seeds \$2.50) ($\frac{1}{8}$ oz. \$6.00) ($\frac{1}{4}$ oz. \$11.00) ($\frac{1}{2}$ oz. \$20.00) (oz. \$35.00) ($\frac{1}{4}$ lb. \$100.00) ($\frac{1}{2}$ lb. \$170.00)

Burpee's BIG BOY® HYBRID

80 days. (Main Crop.) This popular main-crop F₁ Hybrid will weigh as much as $1\frac{1}{2}$ lb. each, 4" across and $2\frac{3}{4}$ " deep. The bright red fruits are semi-globe shape and firm. The meaty flesh is of fine flavor and excellent quality. The vines are tall and spreading, with fairly dense foliage that gives good protection to the fruit. Fine for home gardens and market. (Pkt., 60 seeds, \$1.00) (Jumbo Pkt., 180 seeds, \$2.50) ($\frac{1}{8}$ oz. \$6.00) ($\frac{1}{4}$ oz. \$11.00) ($\frac{1}{2}$ oz. \$20.00) (oz. \$35.00) ($\frac{1}{4}$ lb. \$100.00) ($\frac{1}{2}$ lb. \$170.00)
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Burgess' CRACK-PROOF

80 days. The nearest to a perfect Tomato yet produced. Crack-Proof is one of our most outstanding creations. It will not crack under average growing conditions and is practically free from cracking under the most adverse conditions. Famous the country over, this thrifty main-crop variety bears until killed by frost in the Fall. The well-finished fruits ripen uniformly from stem to blossom end and are a beautiful scarlet color. Early fruits weigh up to 9 oz. each, 3½" across and 2½" deep. Vines are medium tall and give good foliage protection for the fruit. Plant 3' apart. The thin but tough skin on the fruit makes easy peeling and is, therefore, ideal for canning.

BISON

55 days. This variety starts ripening with Early Chatham, but the fruits ripen over a longer season and with slightly green markings around the stem end. Plants may be started early and transplanted to the field in full bloom without retarding their growth, and ripe tomatoes may be picked in less than 55 days. The red fruits are smooth, solid, meaty and average 4½ ozs. This variety is one of the few that is recommended for direct seeding in the North. For a very early one, few will compare with it.



EARLY WONDER

60 days. This is Burgess' tremendous yielding early large Tomato. It is smooth, mild, meaty and ripens uniformly to a very deep scarlet color. When well grown, fruits in first cluster will weigh as much as 14 oz. each, 3¾" across and 3" deep. Plants are medium small and should be planted as close as 2½' apart. Plants give sufficient top foliage to protect the fruit against sunburn. Early Wonder has been given a high rating for an early variety in almost every section of the country.

CARO-RED

High In Vitamin A

78 days. Now you can have a quality tomato that is rich in Vitamin A. Containing about 10 times the amount of Vitamin A found in standard varieties. A single fruit can supply one-and-a-half to two times the minimum daily Vitamin A requirement of an adult. The fruit is globe shaped and orange-red in color. They average about 6 oz. The vines are of standard height with medium foliage. Caro-Red is fine sliced or in salads as well as for canning. They make top quality high Vitamin A Tomato juice. Be sure to give it a trial this year.

DOUBLERICH

High In Vitamin C

60 days. Contains as much Vitamin C as citrus fruit. This is double the amount of Vitamin C found in standard varieties of Tomatoes. Doublerich matures firm, bright-red fruits that are semi-flattened, globe-shaped and quite resistant to cracking. They ripen uniformly and are of fine quality. Average 4 oz. The vine is of spreading medium growth. The gardener wanting healthful high-vitamin canned tomatoes and juice, as well as fine eating, sliced or in salads, should be sure to include Doublerich.



MAMMOTH WONDER

75 days. The deepest globe-shaped fruit of any Tomato. It is one that is BIG, yet still maintains top quality, delicious flavor and good productivity. Fruits ripen uniformly to a deep scarlet. They are extra firm and will stand more rough handling than most varieties. They are crack-resistant and fruits will weigh as much as 1¼ lbs. each, 4¼" across and 3¼" deep. Vines are medium in size and upright to give good foliage protection for the fruit. Plant 3' apart. Mammoth Wonder has recently been given outstanding performance reports from Canada as well as various sections of this country.

EARLY CHATHAM

55 days. Introduced by the Upper Peninsula Experiment Station of Michigan State University especially for areas with short growing seasons. It is so early, it is suitable for seeding directly in the garden in the North. The small, compact plants can stand as close as 2' apart. They are loaded with rich red, globe-shaped fruits that average 4 ozs. Recommended for home gardens, as well as for market growers wanting a big yield of extra early tomatoes.

Prepaid TOMATO PRICES	Pkt.	Jumbo Pkt.	½ Oz.	Oz.	¼ lb.	½ lb.	1 lb.
Beefsteak.....	\$0.30	\$0.75	\$0.85	\$1.45	\$ 3.75	\$6.25	\$11.25
Bison.....	.25	.60	.75	1.35	3.50	5.85	10.75
Bonny Best.....	.20	.50	.60	1.10	3.00	5.00	9.00
Caro-Red.....	.30	.75	1.00	1.60	4.15	7.00	12.50
Climbing Trip-L-Crop..	.50	1.25	1.50	2.50	6.00	10.00	18.00
Crack-Proof.....	.30	.75	.85	1.45	3.75	6.25	11.25
Doublerich.....	.30	.75	1.00	1.60	4.15	7.00	12.50
Earliest & Best.....	.20	.50	.65	1.20	3.25	5.50	10.00
Early Chatham.....	.25	.60	.75	1.35	3.50	5.85	10.75
Early Wonder.....	.30	.75	.85	1.45	3.75	6.25	11.25
Everbearing.....	.30	.75	.85	1.45	3.75	6.25	11.25
Fireball.....	.25	.60	.70	1.25	3.30	5.60	10.25
Firesteel.....	.20	.50	.65	1.20	3.25	5.50	10.00
Glamour.....	.20	.50	.65	1.20	3.25	5.50	10.00
Homestead Imp. #2..	.25	.60	.70	1.25	3.30	5.60	10.25
Indian River.....	.25	.60	.75	1.35	3.50	5.85	10.75
Imp. Colossal, All Colors.....	.50	1.25	1.50	2.50	6.00	10.00	18.00
Italian Canner.....	.30	.75	.90	1.55	4.00	6.75	12.25
Kopiah.....	.20	.50	.60	1.10	3.00	5.00	9.00
Lemon.....	.25	.60	.75	1.35	3.50	5.85	10.75
Mammoth Wonder...	.30	.75	.85	1.45	3.75	6.25	11.25
Manalucie.....	.25	.60	.75	1.35	3.50	5.85	10.75
Manapal.....	.30	.75	.85	1.45	3.75	6.25	11.25
Marglobe.....	.20	.50	.60	1.10	3.00	5.00	9.00
Mich. State Forcing..	.75	1.85	2.25	4.00	10.00		
Ohio W.R. #7.....	.75	1.85	2.25	4.00	10.00		
Oxheart.....	.30	.75	.90	1.55	4.00	6.75	12.25
Pearson, Improved...	.20	.50	.60	1.10	3.00	5.00	9.00
Pinkshipper.....	.25	.60	.75	1.35	3.50	5.85	10.75
Plainsman.....	.25	.60	.75	1.35	3.50	5.85	10.75
Pritchard.....	.20	.50	.65	1.20	3.25	5.50	10.00
Roma.....	.30	.75	.90	1.55	4.00	6.75	12.25
Rutgers.....	.20	.50	.65	1.20	3.25	5.50	10.00
San Marzano.....	.30	.75	.90	1.55	4.00	6.75	12.25
Small Fruited (See Page 11 for Prices)							
Southland.....	.20	.50	.65	1.20	3.25	5.50	10.00
Spartan Red 8.....	.75	1.85	2.25	4.00	10.00		
Stokesdale.....	.20	.50	.60	1.10	3.00	5.00	9.00
Stone.....	.20	.50	.60	1.10	3.00	5.00	9.00
Sugar.....	.30	.75	.90	1.55	4.00	6.75	12.25
Sunray (W. R. Jubilee)	.25	.60	.75	1.35	3.50	5.85	10.75
Super Sioux.....	.20	.50	.65	1.20	3.25	5.50	10.00
Tiny Tim.....	.50	1.25	1.50	2.50	6.00	10.00	18.00
Trellis #22.....	.30	.75	.90	1.55	4.00	6.75	12.25
Urbana.....	.20	.50	.60	1.10	3.00	5.00	9.00
Valiant.....	.20	.50	.60	1.10	3.00	5.00	9.00
White Beauty.....	.30	.75	.85	1.45	3.75	6.25	11.25
Wisconsin #53.....	.25	.60	.70	1.25	3.30	5.60	10.25
Willmaster.....	.25	.60	.70	1.25	3.30	5.60	10.25
HYBRIDS (See Pages 6 and 7 for Prices)							

Burgess' CLIMBING TRIP-L-CROP

Burgess' CLIMBING TRIP-L-CROP. Famous the country over. This is a variety with many superior qualities. Vines grow rapidly to a height of 10 to 18' (sometimes more than 20') when grown on a trellis. A trellis, however, is not necessary as it will outyield other varieties when grown in bush form.

The beautiful, large crimson fruits average 5" across and up to 3" deep, with some as deep as 3½" and as wide as 6" across. The fruits are solid, with meaty center surrounded by small seed cells which are separated by solid divisions, which makes the tomato unexcelled for both slicing and canning.

Two or three vines will produce enough fruit for an average family. Growers have reported picking more than two bushels of ripe tomatoes from one vine. The increasing demand for seed and the many letters we receive from satisfied customers more than substantiate all the claims we make for this wonderful Tomato. For big yields and tall vines start early and set out as soon as danger from frost is past.



TRIP-L-CROP vines have grown to 20' tall.

BIGGEST YIELDS — by Far!

Burgess' Climbing TRIP-L-CROP Tomato is by far the most productive of all Tomatoes. More than two bushels from one vine have been reported. The plants are of rank growth, sending out long runners capable of setting clusters of fruit at each joint. This feature is not found in ordinary varieties.

Burgess' "Famous" IMPROVED COLOSSAL TOMATO

Fruits Up to 2½ Pounds and 6 Inches Across

90 days. The Burgess IMPROVED COLOSSAL series represents the very top in size for all Tomatoes, with the exception of Hybrid Super Colossal. Many years were spent by our Research Department in development and improvement, and we know you will be pleased by these giants.

The large spreading plants are well branched with heavy foliage, giving adequate fruit protection. The fruits are deep, but flat, and when well grown will average 14 oz., with some weighing as much as 2½ lbs. The flesh is thick, meaty and extremely mild. Fine for canning and slicing. Just think of thick, meaty slices of beautifully colored tomatoes up to 6" across.

FOUR COLORS to CHOOSE FROM

IMPROVED COLOSSAL CRIMSON. Its beautiful crimson-pink fruit is a natural for taking prizes at fairs.

IMPROVED COLOSSAL GOLDEN. Equally as large as Crimson, and its deep golden color makes it a suitable companion.

IMPROVED COLOSSAL RED. This brightly colored Tomato is slightly smaller in circumference than Crimson and Golden, but is deeper and therefore, equal to them in weight.

IMPROVED COLOSSAL YELLOW. Mildest flavor. It is as broad as Crimson and Golden, but a little flatter.

Seed in short supply and limited to the following quantities:

Your choice of Above Colors (Pkt. 50c) (Jumbo Pkt. \$1.25) (½ oz. \$1.50) (oz. \$2.50) (¼ lb. \$6.00).

Special Offer!

IMPROVED COLOSSAL TOMATO COLLECTION

One (1) Pkt. each of the four colors.

All 4 Pkts. only \$1.75



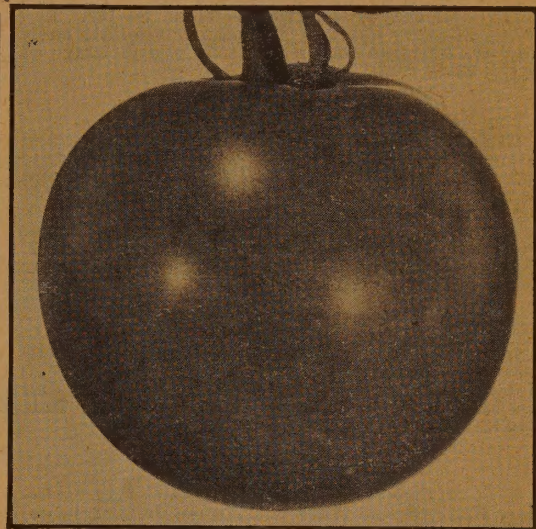
INDIAN RIVER (High Disease Resistance)

75 days. Wilt-Resistant. Besides Fusarium Wilt resistance, Indian River is resistant to Gray Leaf Spot, Early Blight, Collar Rot, Leaf Mold, Graywall and Blossom-end Rot. Indian River gives dependable, high yields under varied soil and climatic conditions. In the South, it is suitable for fall, winter and spring harvest. The red globe-shaped fruits average 6 oz. on the early pickings and slightly smaller on the later set. They have thick outer walls and are suitable for shipping as green-wraps or in the pink stage. Vines are of medium size and the foliage gives fair protection to the fruit. This variety responds well to staking and can be spaced as close as 2' apart in the row when staked.



PINKSHIPPER (The only Wilt-Resistant Pink)

80 days. This Wilt-Resistant Gulf State Market was introduced by U. S. D. A. Now pink tomatoes can be grown in areas where Wilt is a problem. The fruits are more uniform and of better finish than the original variety. Fruits are medium sized, globe-shaped and will average about 6 oz. in weight. Vines are tall and afford good foliage protection for the fruit. A heavy producer that is suitable for fresh use as well as shipping and canning. This variety is also excellent for home gardens and has shown good results in greenhouse culture.



MANALUCIE (Most Disease-Resistant)

85 days. Wilt-Resistant. The most disease resistant variety available to date. Resistant to Early Blight, Fusarium Wilt, Grey Leaf Spot, Collar Rot, Blossom End Rot, Black Spot, Leaf Mold and others. The deep scarlet, slightly flattened fruit are fairly free from cracking and will average 7½ ozs. The large erect vines give adequate fruit protection. Manalucie is very productive and will produce good crops on poorer soils and with less fertilizer. It is gaining in popularity for green-wrap and early pink shipping.

Burgess' Famous EARLIEST and BEST

68 days. This famous Burgess variety, although not as new as many others here, is continuing to gain popularity. Its bright scarlet fruits are smooth, solid, meaty, entirely free from core and average 5 ozs. A tremendous yielder and continues to bear over a long season. It should now be considered medium-early.

EVERBEARING

74 days. This outstanding variety is capable of producing fruits on the branches long after the crown set has been picked. It continues to bear under the most adverse conditions. Fruits are smooth, mild-flavored, well finished and the light crimson color gives them a hothouse look. When well grown, will weigh up to 11 ozs. each, 3¾" across and 2¾" deep. Vines are tall, sending out long branches that continue to bear fruit until killed by frost in the Fall. Plant 4' apart or closer if trellised. The dense foliage gives extra good fruit protection.

IT'S EASY TO GROW TOMATOES

All you need to grow your own Tomato Plants is "Nodampoff" Sphagnum Moss, aluminum trays (listed in the Garden Supply Section of this catalog) and Burgess Tomato Seed. It's easy, and it's fun, too! Here are some suggestions.

About 6 weeks before you expect to set plants in the garden fill the trays nearly to the top with firmly packed damp moss and sprinkle the seeds on the surface. If seedlings are to remain in pans until ready for the garden, use soil covered with ¼" of moss. Seeds should be just barely covered with additional dry moss and sprinkled lightly. Press firm with a small block of wood.

Thin seedlings to about 2" apart and let them grow until ready to set in the garden.

Water only sparingly. Just enough to keep the moss damp, but not wet. Feed with liquid fertilizer supplied with moss.

That's all!

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10 to
12 Oz.
Fruits

FIREBALL

58 days. Suitable for the first early market. The ball-shaped fruits ripen uniformly to a bright red color and average 5 ozs. Vines are small and can be planted as close as 18". The foliage is very sparse. The plants defoliate early and are suitable for only one or two pickings of extra early fruit.

PLAINSMAN

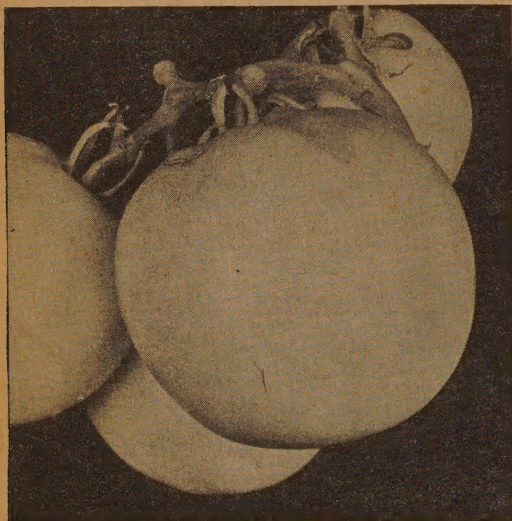
68 days. Similar to Bison but with larger and deeper globe-shaped fruit. The compact plants can be planted as close as 18" apart. Plainsman sets fruit well during hot weather and is suitable for Summer planting in the South. The red fruits are smooth, solid, meaty and average 5 oz. Plainsman was developed by the Texas A. & M. College for the high plains of Texas. Suitable for home garden and market.

SUPER-SIOUX

70 days. An early, uniformly colored variety with medium-sized, globular red fruit. The thick-walled, juicy fruits are of good flavor and are borne on open or spreading-type vines. This one is very rugged and drought-resistant.

FIRESTEEL

62 days. One of the largest fruiting early varieties. Medium size vines with fairly dense foliage, giving good fruit protection. The scarlet-red, fleshy fruits are smooth, globular and nearly free from cracking.



SUNRAY

Or Wilt-Resistant Jubilee

80 days. Here is an orange-yellow tomato developed by the USDA which is by all odds the best in its class. It is sweet and mild and deliciously flavored. Its large deep globe-shaped fruits are colored all the way through. They are slightly drier than standard varieties and are most attractive when sliced in combination with red and pink fruits. Supersedes Jubilee.

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←Burgess' GIANT BEEFSTEAK

88 days. For mildness and tremendous size it is hard to beat Beefsteak, the standard large, late Tomato for the Home Garden. Fruits average 10 to 12 oz. in size, with many weighing a pound and some even more. The meat of Beefsteak is solid, fleshy and very mild, with few seeds. It makes an excellent slicer and its large red fruits are deep, but flat. The Burgess strain is remarkably smooth and well-shaped compared to others. For a home garden variety for slicing and canning, we recommend it highly.

Burgess' SELECT RUTGERS—Early Strain

82 days. Wilt-Resistant. This main-crop tomato is widely grown for green-wrap shipping, canning, catsup and juice. The main features are its ability to ripen from the inside out and the coarse bushy foliage that protects the fruit from sun scald. Our extensive breeding work has made our type outstanding for setting a full first fruit cluster. Fruits will average 6½ ozs., are smooth, deep, globe-shaped, mild and bright red.

MARGLOBE—Early Strain

75 days. Wilt-Resistant. A main-crop variety for home and market gardeners, as well as for shippers and canners. Our stock is a special early strain. The deep scarlet fruits are uniformly globe-shaped, smooth, solid, and average 6½ ounces.

It ripens evenly from inside out to a uniform scarlet. One of the most widely grown of all tomatoes.

GROW EARLIER AND LARGER TOMATOES

BLOSSOM-SET Makes Tomatoes Ripen Up To 3 Weeks Earlier



You'll have earlier, larger, meatier tomatoes, and more on each plant, by spraying with BLOSSOM-SET, an approved plant hormone spray that's so easy to use. BLOSSOM-SET has been thoroughly tested by leading experiment stations, and universities. Just mix with water and spray plants as directed.

BLOSSOM-SET makes those first blossoms stay on the plants, instead of dropping off as they so often do early in the season. These blossoms produce fruit which otherwise would not have been on the plants at all, tomatoes which ripen way ahead of those on untreated plants. Easy to use. (4 oz. 85¢) (Pt. \$1.85).

(12 oz. AEROSOL BOMB, treats 100 plants \$1.95).

AGRICULTURAL CONCENTRATE makes 50 gallons of spray (8 oz. \$6.75).

Forcing Varieties

Special varieties have been developed that set fruit during periods of shorter day length. They are particularly suited for greenhouse production and are ideal to grow in a sunny window during the winter months.

(Hybrid Forcing On Page 7)

SPARTAN RED—8

70 days. Developed by Michigan State University. The distance between fruit clusters is less than other varieties and higher yields result. Commercial growers will find it suitable for fall or spring crops as it will set fruit at high temperatures. The sparse foliage allows closer planting. The deep scarlet fruit has the uniform ripening gene, globe-shaped, firm, thick walls and less cracking than other forcing varieties. They average 5 to 6 oz. This one is best suited for window culture.

OHIO W.R. #7

76 days. Wilt resistant. A large, deep globe-shaped pink-fruited variety that will average 7 to 8 oz. Extensively grown where a large pink is in demand.

MICHIGAN STATE FORCING

72 days. This variety is extensively grown under glass in the Northern states. It is only moderately resistant to fusarium wilt. The globe-shaped red fruits will average 4 oz.

Your choice of above Forcing Varieties: (Pkt. 75¢) (Jumbo Pkt. \$1.85) (½ oz. \$2.25) (oz. \$4.00) (¼ lb. \$10.00)

TRELLIS #22

75 days. Especially suited for growing on trellis but can be grown on the ground. The fruits are red and grow in clusters of 6 or 8. They are semi-globe-shaped, with thick walls and will stand shipping long distances. They are medium-sized and will average 3 oz., which is ideal for packing in tubes for the retail store trade.

WILTMASER

82 days. Developed by the Delaware Experiment Station for its high resistance to wilt and can be planted in areas where wilt is a problem. Fruits smooth, medium globe-shaped and a good red in color. They will average 5½ ozs. Foliage is of medium growth and affords fair protection to the fruit.

MANAPAL—New

Resistant To Graywall

82 days. Carries the same disease resistance as Indian River and Manalucie. It is especially resistant to Graywall and freer of catface fruit than other resistant varieties. Manapal has a wide adaptation of areas, sets well in low temperatures and is a dependable yielder. The red fruits are firm, fleshy and thick-walled. The size is mostly in the 5.5 to 7 oz. range, which is ideal for green-wrap shipping. Suitable for growing a Spring or Fall crop in the South.

LEMON

Yellow as a Lemon

68 days. An excellent early lemon-yellow tomato that is heavily productive over a long season. Fruits are of medium size, flattened globe type, smooth and uniformly yellow. Adds variety to a salad.

GLAMOUR

77 days. This heavy yielding, flattened globe-shaped variety is gaining in popularity as a canning tomato. It is comparatively crack-free and, therefore, produces a high percentage of No. 1 tomatoes. The fruit will average 7 ounces and ripen to a bright red. It is quite solid and is suitable for the market and home garden, as well as for canning.



WHITE BEAUTY

The Anti-Acid Tomato

84 days. The White Beauty Tomato is ivory white in color and the flesh is almost paper white. It is of large size and of excellent quality for slicing, canning and juice. Extremely mild, containing less acid than other tomatoes, so can be eaten by thousands of people who have heretofore avoided Tomatoes on account of the acidity.

TOMATO PASTE & PRESERVES

These three tomatoes have oblong fruits with dry, mealy flesh. The skins are smooth and thick but peel easily. They have better color and flavor for sauces than other varieties, and can be mixed with standard varieties to make a better color juice.

ROMA

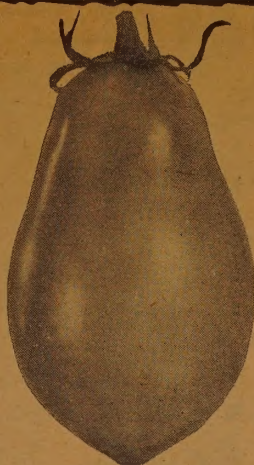
76 days. Wilt Resistant. This mild, dry-fleshed, pear-shaped variety is extra meaty and the best for the home garden, where only limited space is available. It produces a heavy yield on small compact vines that can be planted as close as 2 1/4' apart. They have uniform, dark red fruits 2 1/2" long and 1 1/2" across.

SAN MARZANO

78 days. Our strain of this mild, dry-fleshed, pear-shaped tomato is larger and used extensively by processors for paste. Flesh and skin are intense cherry red. Fruit is 3 1/2" long and 1 3/4" across. Vines are upright and semi-determinate.

ITALIAN CANNER

80 days. The most productive and largest of the group. Flesh and skin of the oblong fruit is extra dark red. It is 4 1/2" long and 2" across. Vines are vigorous and tall, affording good foliage protection.



The Perfect
Pizza Tomato

Very Smooth
Very Thick
Very Tender



OXHEART—"The Heart Tomato"

Smooth, Thick, Tender

95 days. A large heart-shaped tomato that is smooth, thick, tender and almost seedless; frequently showing two inches thick without a seed cavity. Three pound specimens are quite common. A pink tomato with a delicious mild flavor that every lover of this fruit likes.

URBANA

78 days. A very prolific bearing variety that is popular in the Middle West, where it is used for local markets and canning. Due to the compact growth of the plants, they may be set as close as 2' apart. Fruits are deep scarlet, globe shaped and smooth. They will average about 5 oz. and come into the ripening stage over a relative short period.

PRITCHARD

72 days. Wilt Resistant. This main crop variety is very productive and fine for home and market garden, shipping and canning. The light scarlet fruits are globe-shaped, average 5 1/2 ozs., have thick walls and are of mild flavor. Vines are self-topping and grow to a medium height.

HOMESTEAD, Improved

77 days. Wilt-Resistant. This main crop variety is an important addition for green wrap shippers. The vines are medium height and carry the fruit well up on the limbs. Fruits are slightly larger and ripen firmer than Rutgers. They finish well to a bright red and have thick walls and few seeds. Homestead is very productive under a wide range of conditions and makes a fine home garden variety.

KOPIAH

82 days. Developed in the South for high yields and a high degree of crack resistance. The deep red fruits are medium globe-shaped and will average 5 1/2 ozs. Relatively heavy foliage affording good protection for the fruit.

WISCONSIN #55

72 days. The fruits are large, smooth, globular, of fine quality and of good scarlet red color. They are firm and meaty, with rather small seed pockets. The medium size plants are moderately open in habit and continue to bear over a long season. Suitable for slicing, canning, juicing and green-wrap shipping.

SUGAR TOMATO

Requires Less Sugar

50 days. The sweetest of all Tomatoes. The round, brilliant scarlet fruits are 3/4" across and are borne in long clusters 8 to 12" long. It ripens early and continues to bear throughout the season. The fruits are small, but are so sweet they can be used for preserves, juice and canning without adding sugar. They are delicious and attractive when served with olives and pickles. Vines are medium tall and are suitable for staking or trellising.

VALIANT

70 days. Smooth, heavy, solid, fine quality, 7 oz. fruit. Valiant is bright scarlet in color and early fruiting with light foliage habit. Especially suited for early market and the home garden.

BONNY BEST

68 days. This old-time standby has been largely replaced by better varieties. We recommend you try Earliest and Best. Many planters, however, like our earlier selected strain.

STOKESDALE

72 days. This variety is primarily used for canning and home use, but due to the vigorous vine growth, will produce several good clusters of fruit. It is an extra good yielder and the smooth, bright-scarlet fruits average 5 ozs.

SOUTHLAND

80 days. Wilt-Resistant. This superb variety holds its foliage well because of resistance to blight. It was developed particularly for the South but is outstanding as a main crop variety anywhere wilt and blight are a problem. The deep red fruits are slightly flattened, globe-shaped and will average 6 1/2 ozs. It is suitable for shipping and for the home garden.

PEARSON, Improved

85 days. This popular canning variety has larger and smoother fruit than the original Pearson. Fruits are large, average 6 ozs., semi-globe shaped, and bright red. Vines are extra large and capable of producing an unusually heavy crop of fruit. Used for canning and for green-wrap shipping.

WILT-RESISTANT STONE

84 days. If you are bothered with wilt in your locality, you will be interested in this wilt-resistant strain of the old reliable Stone. The bright red fruits are flattened, globe-shaped and average 6 1/2 ozs. Extensively used for canning and market where Fusarium Wilt is present in the soil. Vines tall and robust.



TINY TIM—The Window Box Tomato

50 days. Dwarf and compact, growing to a height of 6 to 8 in. and only about 14 in. across. It is the earliest of all tomatoes and is loaded with clusters of bright red fruit that are nearly round and are 3/4 to 1 in. across. Even though the fruits are small, they are fine flavored and will give you ripe tomatoes before other home-grown varieties are available. Very colorful when potted or planted in window boxes. The fruits cling to the stems well and are ornamental as well as useful in salads or for preserving. A pretty sight in flower garden, too.



SMALL FRUITED TOMATOES

75 days. These curious tomatoes are colorful and useful for salads and make wonderful preserves and pickles. They are higher in Vitamin C and sugar than standard varieties. The following miniature tomatoes are named for their resemblance to fruits:

Red Cherry Red Plum Yellow Pear
Red Pear Yellow Cherry Yellow Plum

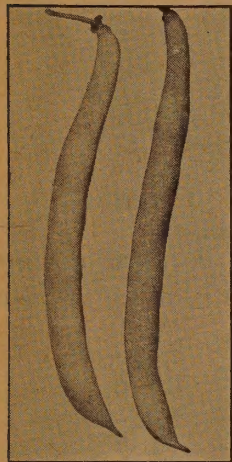
PRICES (Your Choice): (Pkt. 25c) (Jumbo Pkt. 60c) (1/2 oz. 75c) (oz. \$1.35) (1/4 lb. \$3.50).

SMALL FRUITED TOMATO COLLECTION: 1 each of 6 above only \$1.00.

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Top Crop



Tendergreen Improved



Cherokee Wax

BUSH SNAP BEANS

GREEN PODDED BEANS

Pkt. plants 25' of row, lb. plants 150' of row.

TENDERCROP

53 days. High in mosaic resistance. Pods are more slender and contain less fiber than other varieties and are especially suited for use whole when young. At maturity pods are 6" long. They are meaty, slow to develop seed, straight, smooth, entirely stringless and dark green. If you have been troubled with mosaic, be sure to plant Tendercrop.

TOP CROP

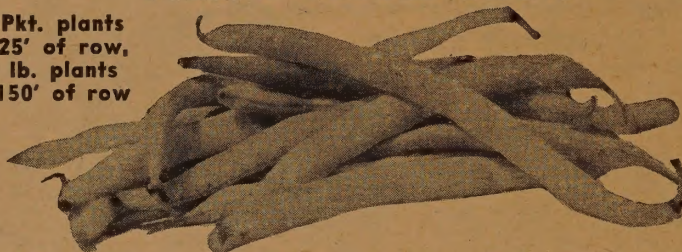
49 days. Good yields, plus earliness, vigorous growth and general all-around excellence make Top Crop deserve its name. Pods are 5 to 6" long, round, medium light green, straight, very tender and meaty. Also resistant to mosaic. Wonderful fresh and tops for canning and freezing.

WADE

54 days. In trials, Wade has outyielded all other varieties. It is resistant to mosaic and powdery mildew. Beans are set high on the vines which keeps them off the ground and clean. Its 5 to 6" round pods are straight, smooth, meaty, extra dark green and have a wonderful flavor. Extensively used for freezing and market.

YELLOW PODDED BEANS

Pkt. plants
25' of row,
lb. plants
150' of row



CHEROKEE

51 days. Its upright growth, keeping 6" bright yellow, oval pods high and clean off the ground, make this productive new variety one of the very best. It is thick, crisp, very tender and free of strings. Beans turn yellow early and stay bright and tender longer.

GOLDEN WAX Improved Strain

50 days. Our Improved strain is more productive than the older type. Widely planted for market, freezing and home gardens. Best of the flat-podded varieties. Pods are 5 1/4" long, stringless, tender and of fine flavor.

TENDERGREEN

Improved

53 days. This old standby has been improved for color and straightness of pods. The dark green pods have fine flavor and are round, slender, stringless and 6" long. Tendergreen has been the leading home and market garden variety for years. The improved strain is much better than the older strain and it is also extra fine for freezing.

BOUNTIFUL

Earliest Green Pod

47 days. Extremely productive and known to yield 1 bu. of pods per 15' of row. Excellent for home garden. The light green pods are 7" long, broad, flat and of delicious flavor.

STRINGLESS GREEN POD

52 days. Our strain of Stringless Green Pod is extra choice and more productive than the older strains. Extensively used for home and market gardens. The dark green pods are round, 6 1/2" long, stringless, and of good quality. An old variety, but still one of the very best.

PENCIL POD WAX

58 days. The leading round-podded wax variety. The deep-yellow pods are 6" long, stringless and tender. This is one of the most productive varieties and is suitable for freezing and canning. One of the best for green shell beans for succotash.

BRITTLE WAX

58 days—We recommend—Cherokee

SPECIAL BEAN COLLECTION

1—Pkt. Each
Cherokee, Top
Crop, Ford-
hook—242
1—Jumbo Pkt. Each \$1.10

Our "BLIZZARD BELT BRAND" Beans are the best that can be produced. Our stock is selected with extreme care, and the growing crops carefully rogued several times each season.

BUSH LIMA BEANS

Pkt. plants 20' of row, lb. plants 125' of row.



BABY BUSH LIMA

Bears Over a Long Season

70 days. A mealy-type butter bean lima that produces plump beans that are nearly half as thick as they are long. They have a delicious mild flavor and are extra fine for freezing and baking. The beans are white and when cooked turn to an appetizing gray-green color. It is a dependable bearer and produces well under all conditions. The pods do not ripen all at one time, but start early and continue over a long season. This makes it one of the best for the home garden. Pods 2 1/2" long, with a large percentage containing 4 beans, as pictured above.

HENDERSON'S

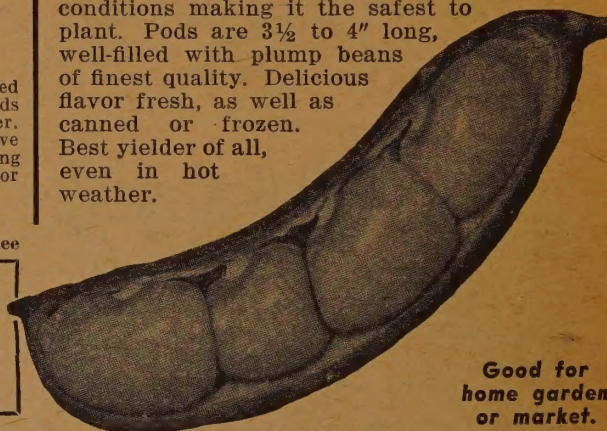
65 days. Improved Bush. The earliest and most productive Lima. Will produce an abundant crop under a wider range of weather and soil conditions than any other variety. Pods contain 3 to 4 small oval beans of the finest quality. Excellent for freezing and canning.

IMPROVED GIANT BUSH

75 days. This home and market garden variety is the largest of the Bush Limas. Most pods contain 4 large, flat, pale-green beans. Suitable for freezing.

FORDHOOK NO. 242

75 days. Unquestionably the finest and deservedly the most popular of all large Limas. It sets beans even under cold and hot conditions making it the safest to plant. Pods are 3 1/2 to 4" long, well-filled with plump beans of finest quality. Delicious flavor fresh, as well as canned or frozen. Best yielder of all, even in hot weather.



Good for
home garden
or market.

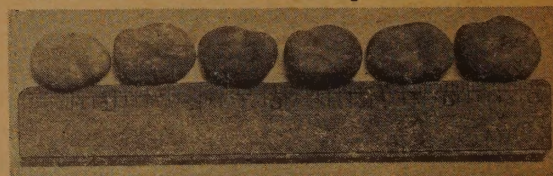
Prepaid BEAN PRICES

	PKT.	JUMBO PKT. 6 Oz.	ECON- OMY PKT. 12 Oz.	FAMILY PKT. 24 Oz.	3 lbs.	6 lbs.
Baby Bush Lima	\$0.20	\$0.40	\$0.70	\$1.25	\$2.30	\$4.20
Bountiful	.20	.38	.66	1.17	2.10	3.66
BrITTLE Wax	.20	.42	.74	1.35	2.40	4.32
Broad Bean	.20	.42	.74	1.35	2.40	4.32
Cherokee Wax	.20	.40	.70	1.25	2.30	4.20
Chestnut	.25	.46	.82	1.55	2.60	4.68
Chinese Salad	.25	.46	.82	1.55	2.60	4.68
Fordhook No. 242	.20	.40	.70	1.25	2.30	4.20
Golden Wax	.20	.40	.70	1.25	2.30	4.20
Henderson's Bush Lima	.20	.37	.64	1.13	2.00	3.60
Imp. Giant Bush Lima	.20	.40	.70	1.25	2.30	4.20
Kentucky Wonder	.20	.40	.70	1.25	2.30	4.20
Kentucky Wonder Wax	.25	.44	.77	1.40	2.50	4.50
King of Garden	.20	.40	.70	1.25	2.30	4.20
Pencil Pod Black Wax	.20	.40	.70	1.25	2.30	4.20
Sieva Lima	.20	.37	.64	1.13	2.00	3.60
Soybean, Edible	.20	.37	.64	1.13	2.00	3.60
Stringless Green Pod	.20	.37	.64	1.13	2.00	3.60
Tendercrop	.20	.42	.74	1.35	2.40	4.32
Tendergreen, Imp	.20	.38	.66	1.17	2.10	3.66
Top Crop	.20	.40	.70	1.25	2.30	4.20
Wade	.20	.40	.70	1.25	2.30	4.20
White-Seeded Kentucky Wonder	.20	.40	.70	1.25	2.30	4.20
Yard Long	.30	.65	1.20	2.25	4.00	7.20

FOR
LARGER
QUANTITIES
OF
SEED
WRITE FOR
SPECIAL
PRICES

"Frostproof" BROAD BEAN

Survived 24° on Our Michigan Seed Farms



Six Broad Beans laid on a 6-inch ruler to show size.
1 Pkt. will plant 15' of row. Lb. 80 ft.

It differs from other beans in that it should be planted early. We plant them here in Michigan as soon as the ground becomes workable, sometimes in March. Plants are hardy and not sensitive to cold. As large as Lima Bean, and same shape. Botanically, it belongs to the bean family, but the flavor is more like that of the pea. Sometimes called Lima Pea.

The plant is a bush of upright growth, about 2 1/2 ft. high, with strong, sturdy stalks. Pods 7 in. long and 1 1/4 in. wide, flat and straight. Each holds 5 to 7 mammoth size beans. It is wonderfully productive and is delicious cooked either fresh or as a winter shell bean.

POLE or CLIMBING BEANS

1 Pkt. Plants 15 Poles—1 Lb. for 90 Poles



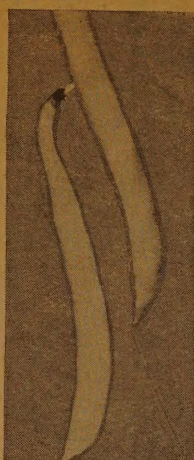
KENTUCKY WONDER

65 days. The finest flavored snap bean grown. The silvery-green pods grow 8½" to 9" long and are so fleshy they are often greater in thickness than width. They are solid, meaty and very crisp. Bear early and if gathered as they mature will continue until frost.



KENTUCKY WONDER WAX

68 days. An ideal pole wax bean for all localities. Similar in habit of growth to the green podded Kentucky Wonder. The 8" yellow pods are so fleshy that often the thickness surpasses the width. Of delicious quality, a heavy yielder and bears a long season.



White-Seeded KENTUCKY WONDER

65 days. It combines attractive appearance with productiveness, and for quality it is unsurpassed. Straight, round, dark green pods, 7 to 8 in. long, fleshy, entirely stringless, fiberless, and tender.



YARD LONG BEAN

Pods 3' Long

70 days. An excellent variety, as well as an interesting curiosity. Vines are rampant growers and produce an enormous crop of long, slender, round pods which are of excellent quality for snap beans when young. The round pods have the thickness of a lead pencil and sometimes grow to a length of 3 ft. Very productive, tender and of fine flavor.

INOCULATE BEANS

Inoculating bean seed hastens maturity, increases the yield and enriches the soil. Good for Beans, Peas, Sweet Peas and Lupinus. Supplied in Garden Size Inoculation. (Sufficient for 6 lbs. of seed.) 25c prepaid.

CHINESE SALAD or Mung Bean

All-the-Year-Around Salad

A delicious bean that is used for bean sprouts and served in chop suey and salads in the finest Oriental Cafes. Chinese Bean Sprouts are an all-the-year-around salad. Enough for a good sized family can be grown in a small dish or pan in the kitchen in only 3 to 5 days. Grows without soil, sunshine or chemicals of any kind. This bean is unexcelled for soups.



Bean Sprouts Like These in 5 Days

ASPARAGUS 1 Oz. For 250 Plants 2 lbs. to Set an Acre MARY WASHINGTON

(Rust-Resistant.) Excellent for the home garden or market. A rapid growing sort, yielding thick, long, straight stalks, and when overgrown is perfectly tender. Practically immune to "rust" and other Asparagus diseases. (Pkt. 15c) (oz. 35c) (¼ lb. 95c) (lb. \$2.50)

PARADISE

(Rust-Resistant.) Similar to above but earlier, more productive and larger. Only 7 or 8 stalks required to a pound. Crisp, tender and fine flavored. Considered the best Asparagus. (Pkt. 20c) (oz. 45c) (¼ lb. \$1.20) (lb. \$3.00)



ASPARAGUS & ARTICHOKE PLANTS—On Page 32

BROCCOLI

One ounce will produce about 2,000 plants

SPARTAN EARLY

This is the earliest variety and was introduced by Michigan State University. Full-size 4" heads start maturing in 55 days from plant-setting and are nearly all ready at one time. The dwarf plants grow only 17" tall. It has a fine flavor, is highly nutritious and is easily grown from seed. Seeds are usually started inside early for the summer crop and seeded direct in the garden in the spring for the late-summer or fall crop. (Pkt. 25c) (½ oz. 50c) (oz. 90c) (¼ lb. \$2.00) (½ lb. \$3.35).



GREEN SPROUTING CALABRESE

Starts bearing full-size 5" heads in 70 days from plant-setting. All plants are not headed at one time, but take a week or more. Then as soon as they are cut, many side shoots produce smaller heads that are just right for freezing whole. Green Sprouting grows 26" tall. (Pkt. 20c) (½ oz. 40c) (oz. 70c) (¼ lb. \$1.60) (½ lb. \$2.60)

CAULIFLOWER

One Ounce Will Produce About 3,000 Plants

SNOW QUEEN

60 days from plant setting. The earliest quality variety that we know of. Pure white heads up to 7½" across. It is a sure header, extremely uniform and a tremendous yielder. We consider it to be the finest spring planting variety for home and market growers. Leaves are broader than those of Snowball and give good protection to the heads. We are sure you will be pleased with our select stock of this variety. (Pkt. 30c) (¼ oz. \$1.10) (½ oz. \$1.90) (oz. \$3.35) (¼ lb. \$10.00).



EARLY SNOWBALL

65 days from plant setting. Our strain of Early Snowball is extra select. It is a very reliable heading variety with rich, snow-white, close, compact heads that grow up to 7¼" across and are of the best quality. Early Snowball has been the standard market variety for years. (Pkt. 25c) (¼ oz. 95c) (½ oz. \$1.70) (oz. \$3.00) (¼ lb. \$9.00).

DRY WEATHER or DANISH GIANT

Our strain of this variety is especially selected to produce self-protecting leaves which protect the heads from the sun and make tying unnecessary. It may be grown in hot, dry districts where others fail. Large creamy-white heads weigh 2 to 3 lbs. each. The best variety to plant in summer for fall crops. (Pkt. 25c) (¼ oz. 95c) (½ oz. \$1.70) (oz. \$3.00) (¼ lb. \$9.00).

BRUSSELS SPROUTS

1 Oz. of Seed Makes 2,500 Plants

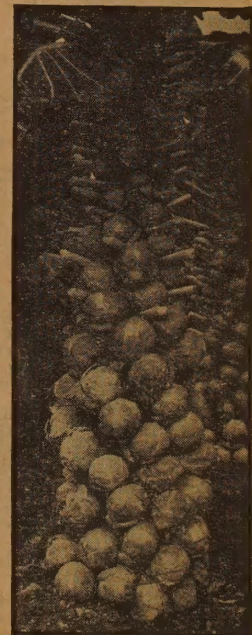
Brussels Sprouts are miniature, mild-flavored cabbages about 1½" across. They grow along the plant stalk and should be harvested from the bottom up so they will continue to bear. They are very hardy and not harmed by frosts. Seed sown in June will produce a fall crop. 1 Oz. of Seed Makes 2,500 Plants.

JADE CROSS HYBRID

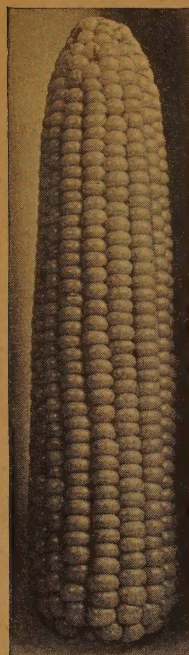
80 days. Now it is easy to grow Brussels Sprouts in all climates and in most garden soils, as this F1 Hybrid variety is earlier, more productive and will set heads during hot weather. It is, therefore, suitable for starting early for summer use, as well as for a fall crop. Sprouts are rich blue-green in color and more uniform than other varieties. Plants grow 2' tall. (Pkt. 75c) (¼ oz. \$2.25) (½ oz. \$4.00) (oz. \$7.50) (¼ lb. \$25.00) (½ lb. \$45.00).

LONG ISLAND IMPROVED

90 days. A choice variety grown extensively by market gardeners. Plants are 20" tall and are well filled with sprouts nearly the entire length of the stalks. This variety is best when grown as a fall crop. (Pkt. 20c) (½ oz. 50c) (oz. 90c) (¼ lb. \$2.00) (½ lb. \$3.50) (lb. \$5.70)



HYBRID SWEET CORN



Bantam Evergreen

BANTAM EVERGREEN HYBRID (Our Own Private Stock Hybrid)

10 Tons of Ears to the Acre

87 Days to Table. Golden ears are 16 to 18 rowed, 9 to 10 inches long, with clean stalks 8 to 9 feet tall. It has yielded as much as ten tons of snapped ears per acre under favorable conditions and is resistant to ear worm, smut, and hot weather. Don't let the size mislead you, as the corn is strictly first class, and compares in tenderness and flavor with the smaller varieties. If you have room for only one variety, we recommend this one above all others.

GOLDEN CROSS BANTAM HYBRID

80 Days to Table. Superb for home gardens. Attractive uniform ears of top quality, and high yields. Plants large and thrifty, often produce 2 to 3 ears. Ears 8 in. long and filled compactly with 10 to 14 straight rows of tender, sweet, delicious kernels.

IOCHIEF HYBRID

Drought Tolerant

89 Days to Table. A most highly productive hybrid, with long, large ears. This main crop sweet corn is ideal for canning and market. Its golden, deep and uniform 16 rows of kernels make it one of the most attractive, as well as delicious. It keeps in edible condition longer during hot weather than any other variety. One of the best for freezing.

GOLDEN BEAUTY HYBRID

Best Flavored Early Hybrid

68 Days to Table. The only early Hybrid with the quality of the later varieties. The ears are slender and are uniformly 7" long. Well finished from tip to butt with mostly 12 rows of exceptionally tender golden-yellow kernels. We believe this variety unequalled for flavor. Golden Beauty was developed by Prof. Lochman of the University of Massachusetts. It was especially selected because of its extra good quality, yield, disease resistance, attractive appearance and color. You will be well pleased if you include this outstanding variety with your other plantings.

SPANCROSS HYBRID

For the Extra Early Market

60 Days to Table. Very early hybrid highly resistant to bacterial wilt. So hardy and cold resistant it may be planted earlier than most. 5 ft. tall. Ears are 6½ in. long, slender and well filled with 10 to 12 straight rows of delicious golden-yellow kernels.

GOLDEN MIDGET HYBRID

The Earliest Hybrid

58 days. The earliest and one of the sweetest—just right for freezing whole. The slender ears are only 5" long and uniformly 1" in diameter with 8 rows of golden-yellow kernels. Plants grow only 3' tall and usually produce two fine ears. Ideal for the small garden. This variety is quite ear worm resistant.



Sunglow

SUNGLOW HYBRID

Extra High Sugar For On-The-Cob Freezing

62 days. SUNGLOW was developed primarily for "on-the-cob" freezing, with a high sugar content and slender cob. Those who dislike the limp cob and flat taste of ordinary varieties of Sweet Corn frozen on the cob will find SUNGLOW far superior to anything previously developed. SUNGLOW is unsurpassed for fresh-corn flavor and quality in any season but its extra-early maturity makes it a must for the home garden and early market.

High resistance to frost and to cold, wet ground, permits very early spring planting that has brought us our first "corn on the cob" as early as July 8th, here in Michigan. The plants grow only 4 to 4½ ft. high, with two or more ears. The light golden-yellow kernels are narrow, sweet and tender, uniformly arranged in 10 rows on ears 6½ to 7 inches long.

We believe that when the home gardener has tasted SUNGLOW he will never again be without it.

TENDERGOLD HYBRID

72 Days to Table. A cross of Purdue Bantam and Golden Sunshine. Highly resistant to bacterial wilt or Stewart's Disease. Stalks sturdy and bear attractive, 7½-in. ears with 12 to 16 straight full rows of tender, sweet, golden-yellow kernels. A superb variety for home gardens, and commercial canning.

STOWELL'S HYBRID

100 Days to Table. For those who like white corn, here is the leading White Hybrid for both home garden and market. It is also the highest quality of the late varieties with white, medium-wide, but deep kernels of delicious sweetness. Tall, heavy, rugged stalks, and really BIG, 16 to 20 rowed ears.

Open Pollinated SWEET CORN

Carefully bred Northern seed unexcelled for earliness and dependability.

1 Pkt. plants 30 hills or 100' of row; 8 to 10 lbs. per acre, with exception of Country Gentleman, which requires only ½ as much seed.

AUNT MARY'S

Extra Sweet & Ripens Over Long Season

Aunt Mary's is the corn to dry for winter use, as it is higher in sugar than any other variety that we know of. It also stays in the roasting-ear stage longer than other varieties. All ears are not ready at one time, which gives it a long period of ripening. Aunt Mary's comes into bearing in mid-season and continues to bear young, sweet corn of unusual quality for the balance of the season. Tall plants, most with two or three big ears with straight rows of deep, white kernels. We consider this the finest all around white sweet corn.

Burgess' EARLIEST GOLDEN

62 days. 10 to 12 days earlier than Golden Bantam, hardy and can stand early planting. A wonderful yielder when planted on good soils. Market gardeners will find no equal among the yellow corns for extremely early planting. Plan on planting some of this variety and be the first to have yellow corn in your locality. Ears 6 to 7 inches long, with 12 rows of tender golden kernels.

GOLDEN BANTAM

75 days. Popular early Sweet Corn; sweet, rich, and delicious. Ears 6 to 7 inches long, with 8 rows of kernels which are of a creamy-yellow color. It is suited for extra early and later plantings.

COUNTRY GENTLEMAN

95 days. The standard of excellence in late white. Dependably productive and best in extremes of heat and drought. Plants very large, often bear two or more large ears; yields heavy tonnage of forage. Ears about 8" long. Kernels white, sweet and tender; very long, slender, shoe-peg shape; closely packed in irregular rows.

STOWELL'S EVERGREEN

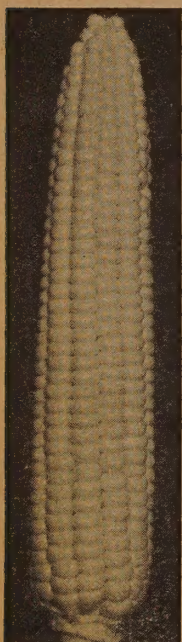
98 days. We have a fine strain of this standard late variety and it is recognized everywhere as the best type of its class. The large ears are 9" long with 16 rows of deep, white kernels. It is hardy, productive, sweet and tender, and remains a long time in cooking condition.

STANDARD CORN COLLECTION EARLIEST GOLDEN, GOLDEN BANTAM AND COUNTRY GENTLEMAN

1 Pkt. Each 50c 1 Jumbo Pkt. Each \$1.00



Spancross



Golden Beauty

"All-Season" HYBRID CORN COLLECTION

Here are 4 of the best Hybrids, each a different maturity. By planting all 4 you get corn from early to late—all season.

SPANCROSS
TENDERGOLD

GOLDEN CROSS BANTAM
BANTAM EVERGREEN

(1 Pkt. of each, all 4, only 85c) (1 Jumbo Pkt. of each \$1.70)
(1 Economy Pkt. of each \$2.95).

Prepaid CORN PRICES	Packet	Jumbo Pkt., 6 Oz.	Economy Pkt., 12 Oz.	Family Pkt., 24 Oz.	3 Lbs.	6 Lbs.
Aunt Mary's.....	\$0.30	\$0.64	\$1.10	\$2.00	\$3.50	\$6.00
Burgess' Earliest Golden.....	.20	.36	.62	1.15	2.00	3.60
Country Gentleman.....	.20	.36	.62	1.15	2.00	3.60
Golden Bantam.....	.20	.34	.58	1.00	1.85	3.36
Stowell's Evergreen.....	.20	.36	.62	1.15	2.00	3.60
HYBRIDS (below)						
Bantam Evergreen.....	.30	.62	1.05	1.85	3.25	5.82
Golden Beauty.....	.25	.46	.82	1.55	2.60	4.80
Golden Cross Bantam.....	.20	.42	.70	1.30	2.30	4.26
Golden Midget Hybrid.....	.30	.62	1.05	1.85	3.25	5.82
Iochief.....	.20	.44	.78	1.45	2.50	4.56
Spancross.....	.25	.46	.82	1.55	2.60	4.80
Stowell's Hybrid.....	.20	.44	.78	1.45	2.50	4.56
Sunglow.....	.30	.66	1.15	2.10	3.70	6.60
Tendergold.....	.20	.44	.78	1.45	2.50	4.56
POPCORN						
Hybrid Minihybrid—250....	.25	.58	.95	1.75	2.80	5.10
Hybrid Purdue—31.....	.25	.52	.85	1.60	2.60	4.80

14 FOR LARGER QUANTITIES—Write For Special Prices



PEANUTS

Will Grow and Produce Good Crops in the North

IMPROVED EARLY SPANISH. Just as good Peanuts can be grown in the Northern States as in the South. This is the earliest variety grown, and very productive. The pods are small, but remarkably solid and well filled with nuts of the very finest quality. Shell nuts carefully so as not to break inside skin, and plant as soon as ground becomes warm, about 2 in. deep in rows 3 ft. apart, and from 8 to 10 in. apart in the row. (Pkt. 20c) (Jumbo Pkt. 50c) (lb. \$1.00) (Price per lb. for 3 lbs. or more 90c) prepaid.

Grow Your Own POPCORN

Plant 5 to 6 lbs. per Acre



Hybrid Minhybrid 250

HYBRID HULLESS MINHYBRID—250

29% Greater Volume

85 days. Here is the last word in Popcorn, far surpassing standard Hulless in yield and popping expansion. Records show 16% greater yield per acre. Its most amazing feature is apparent when the corn is popped, for it expands to a surprising volume (measuring 29% more than ordinary Hulless).

HYBRID GIANT PURDUE—31

Larger, More Tender

92 days. Pops larger, more tender and better flavored kernels than the Standard South American Giant. When popped, the kernels are creamy-white and are nearly hullless.

It is earlier than standard South American Giant and can be planted earlier as it is cold resistant. The long roots go deep into the soil and will withstand drought and high winds better than any other variety.



Laxton's Progress

LAXTON'S PROGRESS

63 days. The largest podded of the Laxtonian family and the leading early shipping variety. Fine for canning and freezing. Vines dwarf. Pods dark green, 4 1/4 inches long, and contain 7 to 9 large, dark green peas of the best quality.

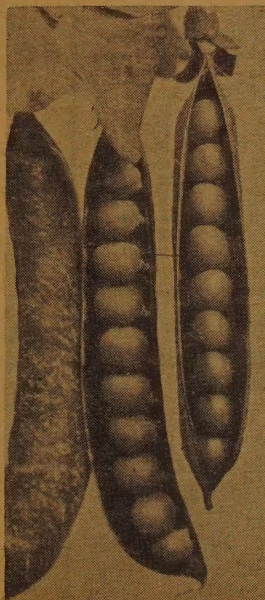
Inoculation

of seed hastens maturity, increases the yield and enriches the soil. Nod-O-Gen Inoculator good for Beans, Peas and Sweet Peas. Sufficient for 6 lbs. of seeds, 25c, postpaid.

GIANT STRIDE

(Mammoth-Podded)

74 days. Wilt-Resistant and one of the most valuable main-crop varieties. Used extensively for freezing, canning and home garden. Vines semi-dwarf. Pods dark green, 5" long, and contain 8 to 10 mammoth sized, dark green peas of exceptionally fine flavor. Extra sweet and tender.



Giant Stride

NORTHERN-GROWN PEAS

1 Jumbo Pkt. Plants 25' of Double Row—120 to 180 lbs. per Acre

Burgess' Famous DROUGHT-PROOF PEA

★ LAUGHS AT DROUGHT
★ SMILES AT RAIN
★ SWEET AS HONEY

BURGESS' Drought-Proof. 70 days. Will do well under a wider range of weather and soil conditions than any other variety. It will grow a crop during the driest, hottest summer months, at a time other varieties would be a failure. If it rains and the soil is kept moist, it will produce as large a crop as any variety we know of; if it doesn't rain, and it gets hot and dry, you will get a crop anyway. Vines medium height with stout, fleshy stems that can take the dry weather and keep the pods up off the ground. Pods gray-green, 4 1/4 inches long, and contain 6 to 8 sweet and tender peas that are 1/2" across

"All Season" PEA COLLECTION

1 Jumbo Pkt. Each

Alaska
Freezonian

Wando
Giant Stride

ALL 4, Only \$1.35

ALASKA

(Wilt-Resistant)

56 days. Standard extra-early, smooth-seeded variety. Used extensively for canning and early planting. Vines medium height. Pods light green 2 1/2 inches long, and contain 6 to 8 small, round, light green peas of fair quality.

ALDERMAN

(Dark-Podded Telephone)

74 days. Wilt Resistant. A large podded, main-crop variety. Fine for the home garden, shipping and freezing. Vines tall. Pods dark green, 4 1/4 inches long, and contain 8 to 10 large, dark green peas of excellent quality. Extra sweet.

THOMAS LAXTON

We Recommend Freezonian in Place of This Variety.

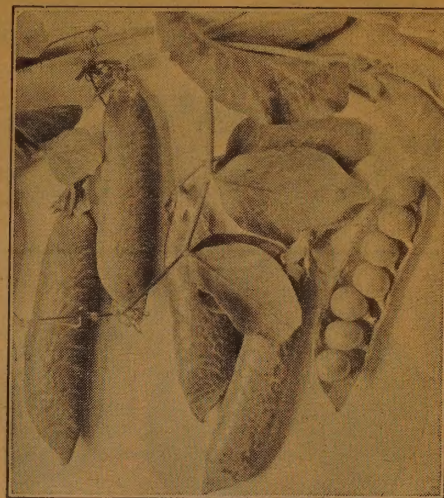
EDIBLE-PODDED PEAS

You Cook Them Like Snap Beans

Edible-podded or Sugar Peas are picked when the peas are partly grown. They are prepared like snap beans and have the sweetness and flavor of fresh green peas. When the peas become larger, they are shelled and eaten as regular peas.

Dwarf Gray Sugar (Wilt-Resistant). 62 days. The earliest of the edible-podded peas. Vines dwarf. Pods light green, 3 inches long and unusually sweet and tender.

Mammoth Melting Sugar (Wilt-Resistant). 72 days. This is the best of the large, flat, edible-podded varieties. Vines tall. Pods light green, 5 inches long and 7/8 inch broad. Sweet, tender and of delicious flavor.



Drought-Proof Pea

FREEZONIAN

High in Sugar

60 days. This All-America bronze medal winner is undoubtedly the sweetest of all early peas. It is a larger and more productive strain of Thomas Laxton and 2 to 3 days earlier. It is wilt resistant and is one of the finest for quick freezing and canning. Pods 3 1/2" long with 7 or 8 large dark green tender peas. Vines vigorous and 2 1/2' tall. A splendid home garden variety.

WANDO

66 days. This midseason variety is a sure producer and quite tolerant of dry weather. The pods are blunt, dark green and only 2 1/2" long, but are plump with 7 to 8 medium-sized peas. They are of fine quality and suitable for freezing and canning. This variety is especially valuable to fill in the pea harvest between the early and late varieties.

LITTLE MARVEL

Dependable Yields

64 days. The surest to produce a big crop of exceptionally fine quality peas. Used extensively for early shipping, freezing and canning. Vines dwarf. Pods dark green, 3 inches long, and contain 7 to 8 large, dark green peas of exceptional quality and flavor.



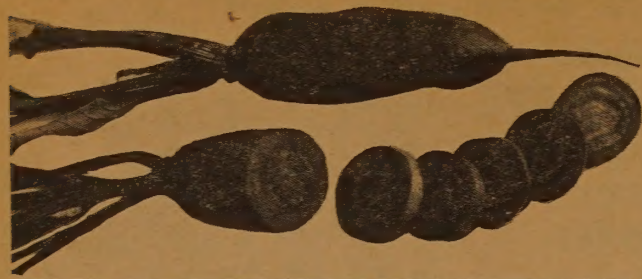
Little Marvel

Prepaid PEA PRICES	Jumbo Pkt., 6 Oz.	Economy Pkt., 12 Oz.	Family Pkt., 24 Oz.	3 Lbs.	6 Lbs.
Alaska (Wilt-Resistant).....	\$0.34	\$0.58	\$1.00	\$1.85	\$3.30
Alderman or Dark-Podded Telephone (W.R.).....	.35	.60	1.05	1.95	3.48
Burgess' Drought-Proof (W.R.)...	.42	.64	1.13	2.10	3.60
Dwarf Gray Sugar (W.R.).....	.37	.64	1.13	2.10	3.60
Freezonian.....	.37	.64	1.20	2.30	3.78
Giant Stride.....	.37	.64	1.13	2.10	3.60
Laxton's Progress.....	.37	.64	1.13	2.10	3.60
Little Marvel.....	.37	.64	1.13	2.10	3.60
Mammoth Melting Sugar (W.R.)...	.38	.66	1.17	2.20	3.66
Thomas Laxton.....	.35	.60	1.05	1.95	3.48
Wando.....	.37	.64	1.13	2.10	3.60

FOR LARGER QUANTITIES WRITE FOR SPECIAL PRICES

CHOICE BEET SEED

1 Oz. Plants
100' of Row



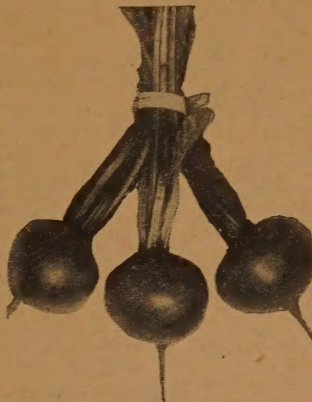
← "Tendersweet" CYLINDRA BEET

(The Sweetest Beet You Ever Tasted)

55 days. Sweet and tender, with that melt-in-your-mouth flavor. Its cylindrical shape permits high productivity and especially adapts it to slicing and pickling. Average size at maturity is 1½" in diameter and 6" long. It is sweet and tender at all stages of growth. The stalks are also sweeter than other varieties and make the finest "greens" even when quite old. If you like Beets, you will love Tendersweet.

RUBY QUEEN →

55 days. This new variety will replace Early Wonder as the popular early bunching variety. The roots are round and dark red. The flesh is solid deep red without rings. Ruby Queen is a most uniform strain with short tops that are dark green with only slightly reddish veins. Fine for home or market gardens.



DETROIT DARK RED

Burgess' Special Strain

58 days. This is an improved short top strain of Detroit Dark Red Beet which is a few days earlier, extra deep dark red throughout and more uniform than the Perfection strain. It is of the very best quality and unequalled for either home garden or market, and without doubt the most valuable variety of beet offered. Good for greens early, a fine bunching beet midseason and unexcelled for winter storage at maturity.

EARLY WONDER

Imp. Dark Red Strain

55 days. The standard early variety for the market growers. It is so uniform in growth that the entire crop can be lifted at one time. Tops small, roots flattened, globe-shaped with small tap root. Flesh deep purplish-red with little zoning.

Special BEET COLLECTION

1 Pkt. Detroit Perfection
1 Pkt. Early Wonder
1 Pkt. Green Top Bunching

All 3 Pkts. 45c

DETROIT

Perfection Strain

64 days. A leading main-crop variety for the market. The color is deep blood-red with indistinct lighter red zones. The roots are globe-shaped, smooth and uniform, with small tap root. Free from woodiness until the beets attain their full size.

MANGEL

Mammoth Long Red

Heaviest cropping Mangel. Used as winter feed for poultry and other live stock. Roots 2' long and 6" across with ½ to ¾ above ground for easy harvesting. Skin bright red, flesh white veined pink. The best winter keeper Mangel.

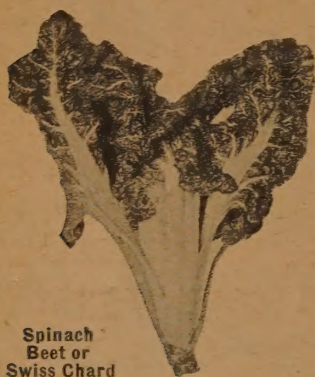
Green Top Bunching (For Greens)

60 days. The leaves stay a glossy green on this fine beet. Roots are round, smooth and blood red and flesh is very fine and with a low fiber content. A most attractive beet and perfect for beet greens in all stages of growth.

SUGAR BEET

Klein Wanzleben

Leading sugar beet. Sweet and tender when cooked for table use. High in sugar content and enormous yield. Most popular variety for sugar manufacture. Also a good poultry and live stock feeder. Keeps good well into the winter.



Spinach
Beet or
Swiss Chard

SWISS CHARD LUCULLUS

55 days. Grown for its large, tender leaves and leaf stalks. Leaves grow to a length of 2 to 2½ feet, stalks are nearly as thick and broad as Rhubarb and never get tough. By picking off the large outside leaves, as wanted, more continue to grow and keep right on growing until killed by severe frost in the fall. The whole leaf can be used for greens, or the leaf stalks can be cooked like asparagus. Good freezing variety.

RHUBARB CHARD

55 days. Quite distinct. Ribs narrow but fleshy, of a good crimson color and resembling Rhubarb, both in shape and color. Leaf is dark green, slightly crumpled, veined crimson. Sweet and delicious flavor. A very decorative plant and may be used in the flower garden.

BEET AND MANGEL PRICES	Packet	Oz.	¼ Lb.	Lb.
Detroit Dark Red (Burgess' Special Strain)	\$0.25	\$0.55	\$1.30	\$2.65
Detroit, Perfection Strain	.20	.45	1.10	2.20
Early Wonder	.20	.45	1.10	2.20
Green Top Bunching	.20	.50	1.20	2.40
Ruby Queen	.25	.55	1.30	2.65
Swiss Chard, Lucullus	.20	.40	1.00	2.10
Swiss Chard, Rhubarb	.25	.55	1.30	2.65
Tendersweet or Cylindra (½ Oz. 70c)	.40	1.20	3.00	8.00
Mangel, Mammoth Long Red		.25	.75	2.00
Sugar, Klein Wanzleben		.25	.75	2.00

Write for Prices on Larger Quantities

CHICORY—1 Oz. to 200' of Row

ASPARAGUS or
RADICETTA

Popular for early greens, being a rapid growing annual; plant has appearance of a Dandelion plant. Both leaves and young seed stalks are edible and are used for early greens. The flavor is considered by some to resemble Asparagus and by others a tender Dandelion. (Pkt. 20c) (½ oz. 50c) (oz. 90c) (¼ lb. \$2.50) (½ lb. \$4.00)

MAGDEBURG or
COFFEE

The large roots, when roasted and ground make a delicious drink, somewhat like coffee. Leaves make fine salad. (Pkt. 20c) (½ oz. 50c) (oz. 90c) (¼ lb. \$2.50) (½ lb. \$4.00)



JUMBO

or Large Late Drumhead
Largest of All Cabbage

107 days. Only a week later than Danish Ballhead and the largest cabbage grown. On good soil very few heads will weigh less than 12 lbs. Heads flat, rounded at top; very solid; sure to head; excellent keepers.



GOLDEN ACRE

62 days. (Special Strain). Heads hard and solid, about 4 lbs., and 6 to 7" in diameter. Stand well without bursting and may be shipped long distances. Plants are small and compact, with few outer leaves. Suitable for late planting as well as early.



POULTRY CABBAGE

(Chinese Chokurei)

A wonderful green feed for poultry and rabbits. Known to yield 3 tons in 40x60 feet. Sow from early spring until the middle of July. In the South throughout the year, or from July to September for main crop. Sow in rows 24" apart, allowing 2" between the seed. Feed when 4" high, pulling out alternate plants. Thin until plants are 18" apart. These should make heads of 5 to 7 lbs. in 70 days and may be fed immediately or allowed to stay in ground until cold weather. These heads may be fed whole as they are very tender and 100 per cent edible. Chopping is not required even for young chickens.

CABBAGE PRICES →

CABBAGE SEED

Days Indicated are from
Plant Setting to Maturity
1 Oz. Makes 3000 Plants
—1/4 Lb. Per Acre



HYBRID ACRE

64 days. Now—near perfection has been reached in a cabbage. F₁ Hybrid Acre will produce beautiful uniform round heads that weigh 3½ lbs. each. The plants are compact with short stems. The outer leaves are short and a rich medium-green. Market growers can produce greater yields because of the high percentage of salable cabbages. The home gardener will have remarkable success with this variety as it can be direct seeded in the early spring and produce a good crop by mid-summer.

COPENHAGEN MARKET

70 days. One of the most valuable varieties for the market gardener, because of its heavy yields. When ready for cutting, Copenhagen Market is the heaviest of the early varieties and is as good, in its class, as the old favorite Danish Ballhead. The stem is short: the head is round and solid, averaging 5 pounds or more, and uniform in shape and size. A vigorous grower and an excellent keeper. The heads all mature at one time and will stand well without bursting.

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FOR CABBAGE PLANTS



← MICHIHILI
Finest
Chinese Cabbage

A most delicious vegetable combining the rich celery flavor with that of the cabbage. Can be cooked or eaten raw. Makes a fine salad and many prefer it to regular cabbage for making slaw. It has dark green leaves that fold closely together and blanch pure white inside. It is tender, crisp and sweet. It is extremely productive, easily grown and unexcelled for fall and winter use from seed sown directly in the garden in midsummer.

Prepaid CABBAGE PRICES		Packet	1/2 Oz.	Oz.	1/4 Lb.	1/2 Lb.	Lb.
Baby Head		\$0.25	\$0.60	\$1.00	\$2.50	\$3.75	\$6.25
Chieftain Savoy		.20	.45	.75	2.10	3.10	5.10
Chinese Michihli		.15	.35	.60	1.80	2.50	4.00
Copenhagen Market		.15	.40	.70	2.00	3.00	5.00
Danish Ballhead		.20	.45	.75	2.10	3.10	5.10
Earliest Round Red		.25	.60	1.00	2.50	3.75	6.25
Golden Acre		.20	.50	.80	2.20	3.20	5.20
Hybrid Acre (Jumbo Pkt. \$1.25)		.50	2.50	4.50			
Jumbo		.25	.60	1.00	2.50	3.75	6.25
Lightning Express		.20	.50	.80	2.20	3.20	5.20
Mammoth Red Rock		.20	.50	.80	2.20	3.20	5.20
Poultry		.15	.35	.60	1.80	2.50	4.00
Yellows-Resistant Golden Acre		.25	.60	1.00	2.50	3.75	6.25
Yellows-Resistant Marion Market		.20	.50	.80	2.20	3.75	6.25
Yellows-Resistant Wisconsin Golden Acre		.25	.60	1.00	2.50	3.75	6.25
Yellows-Resistant Wisconsin Hollander		.20	.50	.80	2.20	3.20	5.20

Be Sure to Plant

Some of the
Salad Cabbages

LIGHTNING EXPRESS→

Dark Green for Salad or Slaw

59 days. The perfect Home Garden Cabbage because of its extreme earliness, high vitamin content and fresh delightful flavor. Leaves are dark green in color and form loose pointed heads in the early stage of growth, which is ideal for the mixed green vegetable salad and slaw. As heads develop, they become firm and solid and yet retain the dark green color. One of the best home garden varieties and best for the early green market trade.

EARLIEST ROUND RED

Early Red for Salad or Slaw

64 days. This colorful variety is just right for making early red slaw and adding color and taste to the mixed green salad. The globular heads are rich purplish-red, 5" across and weigh 2 lbs. at maturity. The heads start forming early and are suitable for use when very small. This makes it ideal for picking over a long season.



BABY HEAD

The Cut and Come Again Cabbage

62 days. Just the right size for a serving. Solid round heads only 4" across and weigh 1 lb. When the first head is cut, without disturbing the outer leaves, new heads will form and most of them will develop into hard heads a little smaller than the original. This is sometimes true of other early varieties, but more so of this one. Baby Head is of fine flavor and a sure header.



DANISH BALLHEAD

Most Popular Winter Cabbage

100 days. The most popular cabbage for winter. It is fine grained, tender and crisp. The round heads average 6½ lbs. and are so hard and solid that they will weigh one-fourth more than other varieties of equal size, and will stand shipping better than other sorts. It is not necessary to dispose of the crop in the fall if market prices are not satisfactory. The crop can be stored just as safely as potatoes and they will be just as solid in the spring as when put away in the fall.



Dark Green Leaves
More Vitamins

CHIEFTAIN SAVOY→

Odorless Cabbage

90 days. Chieftain Savoy is milder than all other cabbages. The crumpled, dark green leaves are more tender, sweeter, have less of a cabbage odor, and the vitamin content is higher than in the smooth-leaved varieties. Heads weigh 5 to 6 lbs. and are almost round.



MAMMOTH RED ROCK

95 days. The largest and best late red cabbage for fall and winter use. The solid round heads have a deep purplish-red color and weigh up to 8 lbs. at maturity. The heads keep well in storage until late winter or early spring. It is a most dependable header and a big yielder. Grow some of this variety and have "sweet-sour" red cabbage and red slaw all winter.

SALAD CABBAGE COLLECTION

1 Pkt. Earliest Round Red	All 3 Pkts. only
1 Pkt. Lightning Express	55c Prepaid
1 Pkt. Chieftain Savoy	

YELLOWS RESISTANT CABBAGE

Cabbage Yellows or Fusarium Wilt is a disease that is soil-borne. If you have Wilt in your soil, you should plant Yellows-Resistant varieties. The ones listed below are the best resistant varieties yet produced.

WISCONSIN GOLDEN ACRE

The Earliest Round Head

59 days. A fine, round, resistant strain of Golden Acre, and earlier. Finest for the home garden and market. Several plantings made at two-week intervals will keep you supplied throughout the season.

YELLOWS-RESISTANT
GOLDEN ACRE

64 days. Highly resistant to Yellows; otherwise the same as Golden Acre.

MARION MARKET

80 days. (Wisconsin Copenhagen.) This Yellows-Resistant strain of Copenhagen Market is larger and 10 days later than our regular strain.

WISCONSIN HOLLANDER

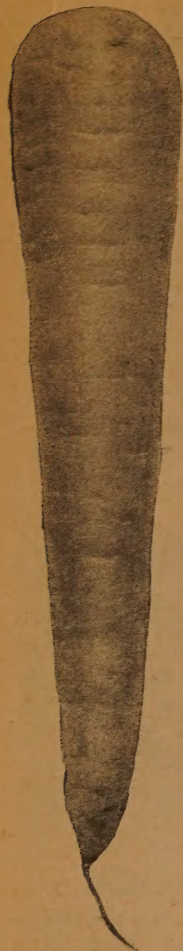
Yellows-Resistant Ballhead

103 days. Disease-proof variety of the Danish Ballhead type. In addition to its ability to resist Yellows, has all the good qualities of the Old Danish Ballhead, and will weigh 1½ lbs. more.

WRITE FOR PRICES ON LARGER QUANTITIES. 17

SELECT CARROTS

1 Oz. Plants
200' of Row



TENDERSWEET

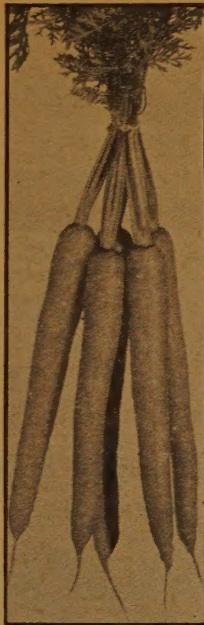
80 days. The sweetest of all Carrots. This second-early sort is ideal for bunching. Roots 10 inches long, and only 2 inches broad at shoulder, gradually tapering to a point. Deep orange color, with indistinct core. Fine for shipping and unexcelled for home garden use.

CORELESS NANTES

68 days. Desirable for forcing and one of the best for home garden and market. Roots 7 inches long and 1 1/4 inches thick; stump-rooted. Flesh bright orange with inconspicuous core and is as "coreless" as a Carrot can be.

GOLD PACK

82 days. This slender carrot is a rich orange color clear through. It is extra sweet and tender. The tapering roots grow to 10" long and only 1 1/2" across at the shoulder. It was selected as a superior shipping carrot because of its extra short tops. This makes it ideal for bunching. It is also a fine home garden variety.



Gold Pack

CHANTENAY (Long Strain)

70 days. A selected strain of Chantenay for the market gardener. More suitable for bunching and shipping than the standard sort. Carrots are smooth, cylindrical, stump-rooted, with small tap root; red-orange in color, with indistinct core. They average 7 inches in length and 2 inches in diameter at the shoulder. They are of the highest quality, tender and of excellent flavor.

IMPERATOR (Long Type)

77 days. A more uniform selection with a rounded shoulder. Ideal for bunching as it has better appearance and the tops come directly out of the top of the Carrot and are not indented in a crown or cup as with standard strains. Roots are smooth skinned and a uniform deep orange color throughout. Ten inches long and tapered to a semi-blunt end. Used for market and shipping as well as the home garden.

IMPROVED DANVERS (Red Core Strain)

75 days. Adapted to all soils and enormously productive; 7" long and 1 1/4" wide; flesh very tender and sweet. The red core strain gives a deep orange color clear through. An improved Danver's suitable for home, market garden and shipping trade.

OXHEART

80 days. A good variety to grow on soils too hard and stiff for longer-rooted sorts. Root short and thick, nearly as thick as long but of good size and excellent quality.

BARGAIN CARROT COLLECTION

1 Pkt. Chantenay Long 1 Pkt. Coreless Nantes All
1 Pkt. Improved Danver's 1 Pkt. Tendersweet 4 Pkts. Only

60¢

CARROT PRICES	Packet	Oz.	1/4 Lb.	1 Lb.	WRITE FOR PRICES ON LARGER QUANTITIES
Chantenay Long Type.....	\$0.15	\$0.50	\$1.30	\$3.00	
Coreless Nantes.....	.20	.60	1.45	3.25	
Gold Pak.....	.25	.70	1.75	4.00	
Imperator Long Type.....	.20	.60	1.45	3.25	
Improved Danver's.....	.15	.50	1.30	3.00	
Oxheart.....	.15	.50	1.30	3.00	
Tendersweet.....	.25	.70	1.75	4.00	

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Made of Sponge Rubber

Comfortable sponge rubber reinforced with extra strong flexible rubber, cupping over knees, where they will stay exactly where they are placed—over or under clothing. Made for maximum comfort and long-wearing durability. Adjustable to any size knee. Good indoors and out. (\$2.35 per pair.)



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HYBRID CUCUMBERS

For Bigger Yields

The F₁ Hybrid Cucumbers are here to stay. They have constantly outyielded the standard varieties in all tests in all parts of the country. They will more than repay in extra yield for the additional cost of the seed. They also give a longer growing period when kept pickled. There is no comparison when uniformity is considered.



CHALLENGER HYBRID

(Mosaic and Mildew Resistant)

56 days. For the home and market gardener wanting the nearest to perfection in a slicing cucumber, we highly recommend Challenger. In trials, it has outyielded all other F₁ Hybrids. Fruits are exceptionally uniform averaging 8" long and 2" thick. The vines are vigorous, dark green and are literally loaded with cukes. It being an F₁ Hybrid with more vigor and with its disease resistance, we consider it the finest all-around Hybrid on the market today. (Pkt. 45 seeds, 50c) (Jumbo Pkt. 130 seeds, \$1.25) (1/4 oz. \$1.75) (1/2 oz. \$3.00) (oz. \$5.00) (1/4 lb. \$13.50) (1/2 lb. \$22.00) (lb. \$40.00).



BURPEE HYBRID

60 days. This F₁ Hybrid also has resistance to mosaic and downy mildew. It is a popular high-yielding home garden variety that produces uniform cucumbers that are 8" long and 2 1/2" thick. They are rounded at both ends. The flesh is firm, crisp and of excellent quality. (Pkt., 45 seeds, 40c) (Jumbo Pkt., 130 seeds, \$1.00) (1/4 oz. \$1.50) (1/2 oz. \$2.75) (oz. \$4.75) (1/4 lb. \$12.50) (1/2 lb. \$20.00) (lb. \$35.00).



EARLY CHINA HYBRID

(The Earliest of All Cucumbers)

46 days. Bears long slender cucumbers that are 12" long and only 1 1/4" thick. They are dark green and moderately ribbed and high spined as shown in the picture above. The vines are strong and vigorous and are suitable for trellising. They produce uniform sized fruit in abundance, even under drought conditions. This is really an outstanding F₁ Hybrid for making those sweet chunk or "bread and butter" pickles. If trellised, can be grown in a small space. (Pkt., 45 seeds, 75c) (Jumbo Pkt., 130 seeds, \$1.85) (1/4 oz. \$2.50) (1/2 oz. \$4.50) (Oz. \$8.00) (1/4 lb. \$20.00).

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Now you can start your vegetable and flower plants early with the inexpensive Solarmatic plant starter. Plants will be protected from early frosts and will grow much faster. It is light weight and can be assembled and disassembled with ease, for storage. Constructed of a heavy 6 mil. Polyethylene top, grommet-type vents and a 24" x 40" mildew-proof base. It will accommodate 2 large flats, or about 28 small pots, or coffee cans.



Solarmatic Plant Starter.....\$4.95

BURGESS' CUCUMBERS

The Finest Strains For The Critical Gardener

1 oz. of Seed
for 75 Hills
2 to 3 lbs.
Per Acre

← SANTEE

Downy-Mildew
Resistant

57 days. A high quality, early, disease-resistant, slicing cucumber that is straight, smooth and slender. Fruits are white spined and dark green in color which holds well for shipping. At maturity, the fruits are 2½" x 8" and blunt ended. Due to quality, yield and disease resistance, Santee is fast replacing other shipping varieties. It is also extra fine for the home garden, especially where cucumbers are grown on the same land year after year. Vines of Santee are rank growing and cover the fruit well.

MARKETER

65 days. This very uniform and prolific bearer has been the leading shipping variety for years. Fruits are dark green, 2¼" x 8" in size and slightly tapered at each end. It has practically no white striping or tipping and is of good dark color.

STRAIGHT EIGHT

A Dependable Yields

64 days. Fruits rich deep green; straight, cylindrical; about 8" long and 2" thick. Superb home garden variety for slicing and salad use. Fruits streamlined for packing and shipping. Straight-8 has natural capacity for extremely high yields under favorable conditions; plants bear relatively high proportions of fruit-producing female flowers and correspondingly low proportions of nonproductive male flowers.

NATIONAL PICKLING

We Recommend—Wisconsin SMR-12

BARGAIN CUCUMBER COLLECTION

Marketer
Straight-8

Everbearing
Wisconsin SMR-12

1 Pkt. each of 4 above 60c

SMOOTHIE →

Practically Wartless

63 days. The absence of warts makes this an unusual and outstanding Cucumber. The smooth, dark green fruits are ideal for slicing unpeeled for salads. Fruits are 2"x8", flesh crisp and white, cylindrical and slightly tapered. Mildew resistant and grows equally well on ground or trellis. One of the finest home garden varieties and attractive for market sales.

IMPROVED LONG GREEN

Best for "Chunk Pickles"

64 days. Fruits 12" to 13" in length and black spined. Fine for slicing and whole pickles, but its solid, crisp flesh makes it most popular for chunk pickles. More widely used for this purpose than any other variety.

CHINA LONG →

2 Feet Long

68 days. This remarkable cucumber from the Orient is not only quite a novelty, but it is one of the most useful. It can be grown on the ground the same as other varieties, but to produce longer and straighter cucumbers it is best trellised. Fruits grow 20 inches to 2 feet in length and only 2 inches through at maturity. They are best used when younger. Skin light green, nearly smooth, the spines being few and small. Flesh is extremely crisp and nearly seedless. We consider it fine for "bread and butter" and chunk pickles. The vines are vigorous and have shown great ability to produce under adverse growing conditions.

China
Long

WHITE WONDER

The All-White
Pickle

57 days. All White, at all stages of growth and with a quality equal to other cucumbers, it is so mild it can be eaten by people who cannot eat regular varieties. Besides being a good slicer, it makes extra fine whole or chunk pickles that are very attractive when served. It bears in abundance early and continues bearing until Fall. We recommend that you plant it with your other varieties of cucumber. Fruits are 7" long, 2½" wide.

EVERBEARING PICKLER

52 days. Extremely prolific. If fruits are kept picked, it will continue to bear until frost. Fruits black spined, medium green and 2¾" by 6" at maturity. Good as a pickler or for chunk pickles.

JAPANESE CLIMBING

For Trellis or Fence

58 days. A good variety to save garden space as the vigorous and healthy vines throw out strong tendrils, enabling them to climb trellis, wire netting or any other suitable support. Black spined fruits 3"x9", crisp, tender and of good quality. If kept picked, the vines will bear freely all season.

GROW YOUR OWN DILL

Used in making "Dill Pickles," it can easily be grown in the garden. (Pkt. 20c) (oz. 40c) (¼ lb. \$1.00) (lb. \$2.25) prepaid.

WISCONSIN SMR-12

The Finest All-Purpose Pickler
(Mosaic & Scab Resistant)

48 days. We consider this the best all-purpose pickling cucumber. The color is considered ideal for pickles from the very small through to the largest dills. It is also the earliest, and if kept picked will continue to bear abundantly for the balance of the season. It is a black spine variety and fruits are 2½" by 6" at maturity. Its mosaic and scab resistance gives dependable pickles under nearly all conditions.

MINCU

Fine For Miniature Pickles

53 days. This medium green, white spine cucumber is a fast starter and a prolific producer in the early stages of growth. It is ideal for miniature pickles as the mature fruits grow only 2" by 4½". It has no disease resistance, but the abundant early yield usually gives two or three pickings before the vines start to go down.

CUCUMBER PRICES

	Packet	Oz.	¼ Lb.	Lb.
Burpee Hybrid (See description for prices)				
Challenger Hybrid (See description for prices)				
China Long (Jumbo Pkt. 90c)	\$.35	\$1.25	\$3.50	\$9.00
Early China Hybrid (See description for prices)				
Everbearing	.20	.45	1.15	2.90
Improved Long Green	.20	.45	1.15	2.90
Japanese Climbing	.25	.55	1.35	3.20
Marketer	.20	.50	1.25	3.00
Mincu	.25	.55	1.35	3.20
National Pickling	.15	.40	1.00	2.60
Santee	.20	.50	1.25	3.00
Serpent or Snake (Jumbo Pkt. 75c)	.30	1.00	2.50	
Smoothie	.25	.70	1.60	3.75
Straight-8	.20	.50	1.25	3.00
West India Gherkin	.20	.50	1.25	3.00
White Wonder	.25	.55	1.35	3.20
Wisconsin SMR-12	.20	.45	1.15	2.90

FOR
CUCUMBER

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QUANTITIES—

Write for Prices.

WEST INDIA GHERKIN

60 days. This is the true West India Gherkin, a species distinct from the true cucumber, and one of the finest picklers. It is small, oval-shaped and has prickly fruit. A very prolific bearer.

Burgess Seed & Plant Co. 19



CELERY

Extra Fine For
Salads And Soups
When Partly Grown

← SPARTAN No. 162 (Non-Bolting Green Celery)

Introduced by Michigan State University as the finest, most uniform, non-bolting green celery for the early crop. In trials, it was judged to have superior eating qualities to all other varieties. Is resistant to magnesium yellowing. The plants grow erect, with compact full heart and are 26" tall. We consider Spartan 162 the finest of all celery. (Pkt. 25c) (½ oz. 75c) (oz. \$1.35) (¼ lb. \$4.00)

GIANT PASCAL (Standard Fall Green Variety)

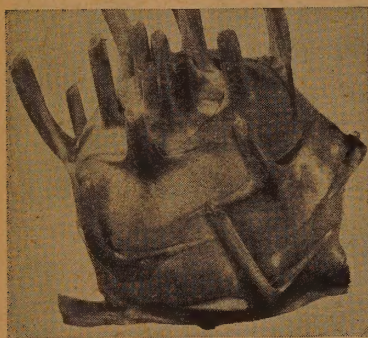
A green variety for fall and winter use. It is tall with large, thick and solid green stalks, which are stringless, crisp, of fine nutty flavor, and an excellent keeper. (Pkt. 20c) (½ oz. 60c) (oz. \$1.00) (¼ lb. \$3.00)

GOLDEN SELF-BLANCHING

A very desirable shipping sort; plants are of medium size, compact and stocky, and grow about 20 to 24 inches tall; leaf stalks are thick and solid; blanches readily and is crisp, tender and of a sweet nutty flavor. (Pkt. 20c) (½ oz. 60c) (oz. \$1.00) (¼ lb. \$3.00)

CELERIAC (Turnip Rooted Celery)

Instead of long leaf stalks like celery, it has globe-shaped, turnip-like roots. Its celery flavor is fine for salads and flavoring. Keeps all winter. (Pkt. 20c) (½ oz. 50c) (oz. 90c) (¼ lb. \$2.50)



KOHL-RABI

One oz. of seed for 200 feet of row

A Cabbage that does not make a head, but forms a turnip-shaped swelling above ground. May be cooked either like cauliflower or turnip, resembling cauliflower, but milder. Delicious when used raw in mixed salads.

EARLY WHITE VIENNA is the best variety of Kohl-Rabi and is ready for the table in 50 days from seed. Flesh firm but very tender, sweet and delicious. (Pkt. 20c) (oz. 50c) (¼ lb. \$1.25) (½ lb. \$2.00) (lb. \$3.50) ppd.



KALE

One Oz. Plants 200' of Row

This is a species of the cabbage family which is extensively grown for greens. It is harder than cabbage; plants withstand several degrees of frost.

DWARF SCOTCH. 50 days. The best variety. Large, finely curled, parsley-like leaves which can be used for garnishing as well as for greens. Tender and finest flavor. (Pkt. 15c) (oz. 40c) (¼ lb. \$1.00) (lb. \$2.60) prepaid.

OKRA or GUMBO 1 Oz. for 100' Of Row

DWARF GREEN LONG POD Best For The Home Garden

50 days. Dark green tender pods 7" to 8" long are produced on bushy 24" plants. The pods are boiled as a vegetable, and are extensively used in soups, stews and relishes. They are best when only 2" or 3" long. (Pkt. 15c) (oz. 30c) (¼ lb. 60c) (lb. \$1.40)

PERKINS LONG POD

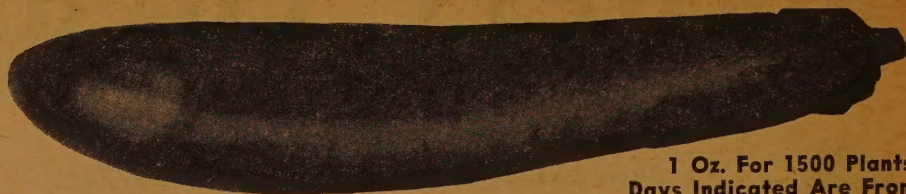
Best For The Market Garden

55 days. Plants 4' tall with slender pods 7" to 8" long and dark green. The leading market and canning variety. It produces a heavier yield but requires more space than the dwarf variety. (Pkt. 15c) (oz. 30c) (¼ lb. 60c) (lb. \$1.40)

GROUND ALMONDS or CHUFA

The Ground Almond has a fine flavor, resembling the coconut or almond. The nuts have snow-white flesh and are usually eaten raw, although they are just as delicious, and slightly different, when roasted. Even a single seed yields large quantity of nuts. Will do well in any average soil. If planted in the spring a big crop can be expected about potato harvest time. Cannot ship to California. (Pkt. 20c) (¼ lb. 45c) (lb. \$1.25) (3 lbs. or more, \$1.15 per lb.) prepaid.

SELECT EGG PLANT



Egg Plant Easily Grown In The Home Garden

1 Oz. For 1500 Plants
Days Indicated Are From
Plant Setting To Picking

HYBRID SLICER (Grows 8 to 9 Inches Long)

68 days. An outstanding early true F1 Hybrid with cylindrical fruits that grow to 9" long and only 1½" to 2" through. They are ideal slicers for frying or dicing for the casserole dish. They are a beautiful dark purple color with a high glossy lustre which lends itself well to decorative purposes. Plants grow 2' tall and due to Hybrid vigor they produce an abundance of fruit. Especially developed for the home garden, but is extra fine for the early market. (Pkt., 40 seeds, 50c) (Jumbo Pkt., 100 seeds, \$1.25) (¼ oz. \$2.00) (¼ oz. \$3.00) (½ oz. \$5.00) (oz. \$9.00)

BLACK BEAUTY →

74 days. The standard oval market variety. The plants grow into compact and robust bushes, and are laden with the mammoth fruits that weigh as much as 3 lbs. each. They are of most attractive form; the skin is a rich, lustrous, purplish black. Very productive; entirely free from spines or thorns. (Pkt. 20c) (½ oz. 55c) (oz. 90c) (¼ lb. \$2.75) (½ lb. \$4.50) (lb. \$8.00)



EGG PLANT COLLECTION

For Good Eating And Table Decorations
1 Pkt. Black Beauty
1 Pkt. Hybrid Slicer For Only 60c

MUSTARD

1 oz. for 200' Row
4 to 6 lbs. per Acre

GREEN WAVE →

40 days. Big curled and frilled leaves are extra dark green and contain more vitamins than other varieties. It is slow to bolt to seed and is tender, without fiber in the later stages of growth. Extra fine for the home garden. (Pkt. 20c) (oz. 50c) (¼ lb. 85c) (lb. \$1.55)



SOUTHERN GIANT CURLED

40 days. (Long Standing.) Leaves large, yellowish-green, crumpled on the edges and most palatable type of greens. Cut young. Sow early. Leading market variety. (Pkt. 15c) (oz. 30c) (¼ lb. 60c) (lb. \$1.35)

MUSTARD SPINACH or TENDERGREEN

30 days. Resistant to insects and blight. The leaves, twice the size of Swiss Chard, are mostly used when young. Resistant to hot and cold weather, so early and late plantings are possible. The leaves are cooked and prepared the same as Spinach. (Pkt. 15c) (oz. 35c) (¼ lb. 65c) (lb. \$1.40)

PARSLEY

1 Oz. To 150' Of Row
PARAMOUNT

85 days. Grow parsley most anywhere the year 'round. It will do well in sun or shade, as well as inside in winter. You can always have it available. Paramount is extra triple-curved and is upright in growth on 12" stout stems. The leaves are unusually rich, dark green. (Pkt. 25c) (oz. 50c) (¼ lb. \$1.00) (lb. \$2.30)



MOSS CURLED or TRIPLE-CURLED

85 days. This popular and widely grown variety is shorter stemmed than Paramount but the leaves are very finely cut and moss-like. (Pkt. 20c) (oz. 45c) (¼ lb. 95c) (lb. \$2.25)

PARSNIP-ROOTED or HAMBURG

90 days. (Plain-leaved.) The fleshy root resembles a small parsnip. Excellent for flavoring soups, stews, etc. Although plain-leaved, it can be used like any other parsley. (Pkt. 20c) (oz. 45c) (¼ lb. 95c) (lb. \$2.25)

LETTUCE SEED

One ounce of seed to
400 feet of row; 3
pounds to the acre.

LEAF LETTUCE VARIETIES

RUBY

48 days. The deep reddish color of this variety is attractive in mixed salads. It is a ruffled and frilled loose leaf lettuce that is sweet and tender when young. For eating purposes, it should be grown as an early spring variety, but can be grown for its ornamental effect later in the season.

BEEFSTEAK

PRIZEHEAD. 45 days. A fine home garden variety. Does not form tightly folded heads, but makes a compact bunch of leaves. The large, crimped leaves are highly colored brownish-red; crisp, sweet, exceedingly tender; and it stands a long time without going to seed.

Lettuce Bargain

1 Pkt. Beefsteak
1 Pkt. Great Lakes
1 Pkt. Oak Leaf
1 Pkt. Black Seeded Simpson
ALL 4 PACKETS ONLY 65c

SLOBOLT

42 days. A heat resistant variety of the excellent Black Seed Simpson type that is especially desirable for warm weather culture because it "bolts" to seed much slower. Delightfully crisp outer leaves may be picked as plant progresses, thus plant remains dwarf.

GRAND RAPIDS

43 days. The best loose-leaved sort for forcing under glass and an excellent variety for outdoor planting.

BLACK SEEDED SIMPSON

42 days. A popular curled or loose-leaved sort for early outdoor planting. Used extensively by market gardeners.

BIBB IMPROVED

57 days. Now this famous Lettuce can be more easily grown. The standard strain of Bibb had to be planted extremely early, as it bolted to seed during hot weather. With Improved Bibb, later plantings can be successfully made as it is much slower to bolt. The smooth, thick, dark-green leaves make small, loosely folded heads that are especially suited for a tossed salad.

ENDIVE

One Ounce of Seed
for 150 Feet of Row

GREEN CURLED

75 days. One of the most refreshing of all salads. May be grown any season of the year. Plants grow 17" across. The leaves are fringed and are a rich green in color; but blanch to creamy white in the center. (Pkt. 15c) (oz. 40c) (1/4 lb. \$1.00) (lb. \$2.50) prepaid.

BATAVIAN FULL HEART

70 days. Foliage broad and flat—deep green leaves with thick midrib, that is exceedingly palatable when well blanched. Stands dry weather best. Unsurpassed for salad when blanched by an experienced gardener, but is more generally used cooked like Kale or Spinach or as flavoring for soups, stews, etc. (Pkt. 15c) (oz. 40c) (1/4 lb. \$1.00) (lb. \$2.50) prepaid.



Great Lakes, Most Outstanding of All Home Garden Head Lettuces

HEAD LETTUCE VARIETIES

GREAT LAKES—Best of All Headers

Early Strain. 78 days. This variety is slow to bolt and has the ability to head under the most adverse conditions. It is tipburn resistant with large well-folded protecting leaves. Great Lakes is of the Imperial type developed by the USDA and Michigan Experiment Station and is one of the leading shipping varieties. It produces large solid heads; crisp and tender. Unquestionably the finest head lettuce for the home garden. It is such a sure header under almost any conditions, that no garden should be without it.

NEW YORK, Los Angeles or WONDERFUL The Largest Header

78 days. This popular head lettuce furnishes fine, crisp lettuce during the hot summer months. The largest variety grown, often producing heads weighing 2 to 3 pounds each, nearly as solid as a cabbage, and inside leaves blanched to beautiful creamy-white. Stands shipping well and remains in good condition longer than other sorts.

COS or ROMAINE LETTUCE →

Dark Green. 65 days. The earliest and best of the Cos type lettuce. The plants are of erect growth, forming elongated heads of crisp leaves. It does not need tying in order to blanch the heart, but larger, firmer heads may be had by tying. The outer leaves are medium green and the inner leaves bleach to snowy white. Always sweet and tender and does not become bitter during hot weather. The young leaves may be eaten as leaf lettuce.



ICEBERG—Crisphhead Type

82 days. An easily grown lettuce of the crisp-head type; no other variety surpasses it in quality. The heads are of medium size, firm and hard, exceedingly crisp, juicy, sweet and tender, with heart leaves blanched to almost white.

BIG BOSTON—"Butter-Heading" Type

75 days. A sure-heading, long-standing variety of superb texture, color and flavor for forcing and home garden. Known as a "butter-heading" variety because of smooth delicate leaves and the creamy-yellow heart.

CHICKEN OR RABBIT LETTUCE

Feed All Spring and Summer

The best green feed for chickens and rabbits. In this variety you will find a feed that yields as much or more than other green feeds. It is economical to grow, for when cut it resumes its growth rapidly and can be cut again and again; or the leaves can be pulled off each stem. The yield is extremely heavy. Chicken or Rabbit Lettuce is too coarse for a table variety. Grows 3 to 4 feet high and just loaded with large leaves. Large enough to commence feeding in 40 to 45 days.



LETTUCE PRICES

	Packet	Oz.	1/4 Lb.	Lb.
Beefsteak (Prizehead).....	\$0.20	\$0.55	\$1.35	\$3.50
Bibb, Improved.....	.20	.55	1.35	3.50
Big Boston.....	.15	.45	1.10	2.50
Black Seeded Simpson.....	.15	.50	1.20	2.65
Chicken or Rabbit.....	.15	.40	1.00	2.25
Cos, Dark Green.....	.15	.50	1.20	2.65
Grand Rapids.....	.15	.50	1.20	2.65
Great Lakes..... (1/2 oz. 50c)	.25	.80	2.00	5.50
Iceberg.....	.15	.50	1.20	2.65
Matchless..... (1/2 oz. 50c)	.25	.80	2.00	5.50
N.Y., L.A. or Wonderful.....	.20	.65	1.65	4.50
Oak Leaf..... (1/2 oz. 50c)	.25	.80	2.00	5.50
Ruby..... (1/2 oz. 50c)	.25	.80	2.00	5.50
Salad Bowl..... (1/2 oz. 50c)	.25	.80	2.00	5.50
Slobolt..... (1/2 oz. 40c)	.20	.70	1.80	5.20
Tom Thumb (Midget)..... (1/2 oz. 50c)	.25	.80	2.00	5.50

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Oak Leaf
Lettuce

OAK LEAF—One of the Best for the Home Garden

38 days. (Can be eaten in 20 days when thinning.) Oak Leaf is neither a head lettuce nor a true leaf lettuce since it forms a compact deep rosette of small thick leaves that provide the good features of both types. It is earlier than other varieties, and the tender, deep green leaves have the superb butter-type flavor. Plants are still in prime condition until 12 to 14 in. across. Will not become bitter in hot weather, so successive plantings can be made.

NOTE: Lettuce seed treated with ROOTONE produces firmer, more uniform, larger heads and healthier leaves. See Garden Supply Pages.

SALAD BOWL

45 days. It's a loose-leaf variety with rich green leaves that make the prettiest salad when the whole plant is used. It stands sun as well as Oakleaf and is a faster and larger grower.



Matchless

MATCHLESS

Bibb Type for Hot Weather

55 days. Leaves and growth similar to Bibb, but can be grown during hot weather. We consider Matchless a superior home-garden variety, as successive sowings of seed will give tasty salad lettuce that is not bitter all season. The leaves form small loose heads and are very dark green. Makes an ideal companion leaf lettuce to plant along with Oak Leaf.

TOM THUMB

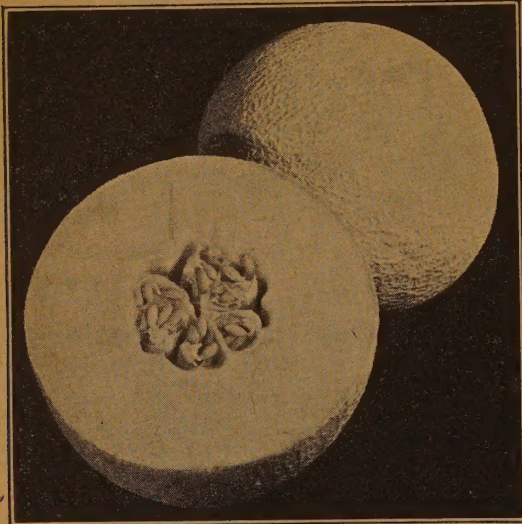
Midget Butter-Head

60 days. This midget butter-head type grows only 4" tall. The outside leaves are medium-green and the smaller, snug-fitting inside leaves bleach to creamy-white at the base. They are firm, tender and of finest quality. When young, Tom Thumb is ideal to use whole in salads. It is suitable for spring and fall planting, as well as frame culture.



Green Curled Endive

Burgess' Taste-Tested Muskmelons

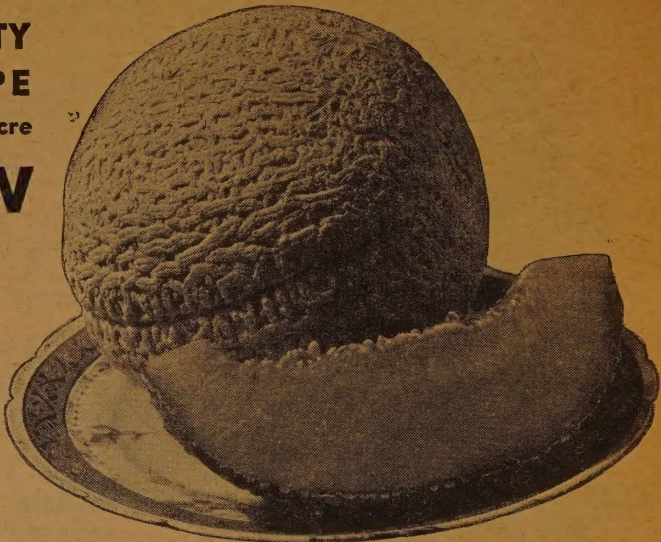


**SELECTED FOR QUALITY
OF TASTE AND TYPE**

1 oz. For 50 Hills 3 lbs. Per Acre

← MEL-O-DEW

85 days. The Muskmelon with the Honey-Dew Flavor. It is a cross between Honey Dew and Hale's Best and has a distinct flavor all its own, similar to both parents, yet pleasantly mild and never strong or musky. The light orange flesh is tender, thick and meaty, with a small seed cavity. It is so striking in appearance that it stands out from all other varieties. Fruits average 7" long and 6" across and will weigh up to 6 lbs. Ideal for home or market gardens. It will stand shipping well.



ROCK O'HONEY

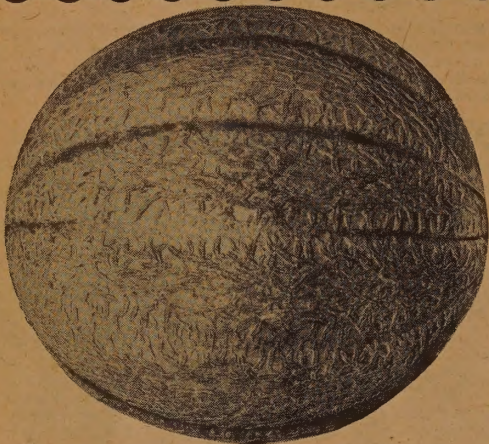
(The Most Productive Melon)

84 days. A famous Burgess variety. An improved type Honey Rock, distinctly superior. Most valuable characteristic is its freedom from blight, causing the vines to remain green until frost. The fruits are slightly elongated or oval in shape and will average 5" across and 7" long. The skin remains gray-green at maturity and is well covered with a coarse netting.

The flesh is much deeper than Honey Rock and the fruits are heavy and very solid, making it an ideal shipping sort. Since its introduction, we have been able to fix in Rock O'Honey a high percentage of female flowers. This allows more fruits to set and makes it the most productive melon.

MUSKMELON SPECIAL!

**1 Pkt. Bender's Surprise 1 Pkt. Lake Champlain
1 Pkt. Imp. Hearts of Gold 1 Pkt. Hale's Best
All 4 Packets only 60c Prepaid**



Hybrid Super-Market

80 days. This F₁ Hybrid has real quality and will outyield the non-Hybrid varieties. A few plants will give you all the melons you can eat. The flesh is deep orange in color and is thick, firm and has a delicious flavor. It is similar to Bender's in appearance and taste. Fruits 7" long and 6" wide, and will average 5 lbs. (Pkt., 45 seeds, 75c) (Jumbo Pkt., 135 seeds, \$1.85) (1/4 oz. \$2.50) (1/2 oz. \$4.50) (oz. \$8.50) (1/4 lb. \$28.00) (1/2 lb. \$50.00) (lb. \$90.00)



SPARTAN ROCK

80 days. Introduced by Michigan State University as an improvement over the old Honey or Sugar Rock. It is earlier and the fruits are smaller (averaging 5" across), but they have a much more uniform and heavier netting. The flesh is deep orange, juicy and of fine spicy flavor. A dependable variety for the home garden and shipping short distances.



Improved HEARTS of GOLD

With the Deep Orange Flesh

90 days. Improved Hearts of Gold, an outstanding Burgess muskmelon, is a great improvement over the old type. It is larger in size, with thicker meat, and has the same superior quality and flavor of the old strain. The fruits average 6x7 in. and weigh 5 lbs. each. Flesh deep orange, extremely thick, fine grained and very sweet and melting.

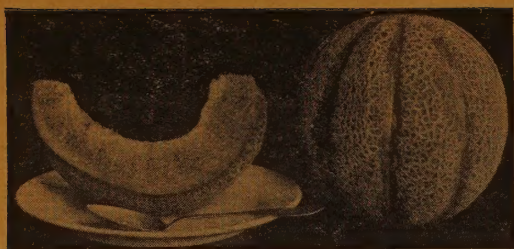


BENDER'S SURPRISE

The Best Large Size Muskmelon

90 days. Exquisitely fine flavor, large size and medium earliness combine to make this melon a great favorite. Many weigh 10 lbs. or more; oval in shape; light green with coarse netting, and turn a golden tint as they mature. Flesh deep orange, very thick and deliciously sweet. Keeps a week after picking, and actually improves in flavor. We know of no other large Muskmelon that will equal Burgess' Special Strain of Bender's Surprise for either the market or the home garden.

Prepaid MUSKMELON PRICES	Packet	Oz.	1/4 Lb.	Lb.	WRITE FOR PRICES ON LARGER QUAN- TITIES
Banana	\$0.20	\$0.50	\$1.20	\$3.25	
Bender's Surprise	.20	.55	1.35	3.75	
Hale's Best	.20	.45	1.10	3.00	
Honey Dew	.20	.50	1.20	3.25	
Improved Hearts of Gold	.20	.50	1.20	3.25	
Lake Champlain	.25	.60	1.50	4.00	
Mel-O-Dew (Jumbo Pkt. \$1.25)	.50	2.00	5.00	13.00	
Pennsweet	.25	.65	1.60	4.25	
Rock O'Honey	.25	.70	1.70	4.50	
Spartan Rock	.25	.60	1.50	4.00	
Super-Market Hybrid ... (see description for prices)					



LAKE CHAMPLAIN (The Earliest Variety)

78 days. Our Special Michigan Strain of this variety produces ripe fruits ahead of any other melon that we know of. The golden-yellow flesh is deep, very sweet and melting. The melons are 5" to 6" across and slightly flattened. A vigorous grower that sets fruit under adverse conditions. Especially popular in Northern home gardens.

HALE'S BEST

80 days. Our special stock of Hale's is only a few days later than Lake Champlain. Can be shipped clear across the country or trucked a great distance and reach the customers in the best of condition. One of the best yielding varieties. Fruits are oval, 6½" long and 5" in diameter; inconspicuous ribbing with very heavy netting. Flesh extremely thick, salmon-orange, sweet and of very fine quality.



BANANA MUSKMELON Delicious Flavor and Aroma

90 days. An unusual type, somewhat resembling a huge banana in shape, and 18 to 24" long. It surpasses all others in its delicious flavor and aroma. The flesh is rich salmon in color and is exceptionally sweet, spicy and delicious. Don't fail to try it.

HONEY DEW

Smooth, ivory colored skin; flesh green, thick, tender, and the juiciest and sweetest of all muskmelons. A late melon, requiring 100 to 115 days. Prefers a warm dry climate. A good shipper; will keep good for months, if kept in a cool, dry place. Full grown fruits that do not ripen on the vines before the fall frosts can be picked and will ripen in storage.



PENNSWEET One of the Sweetest

80 days. Earliness, small fruit size, flesh thickness and very high quality are the outstanding characteristics of this 1955 All-America Winner, and who could ask for more! Melons average 1½ to 2 lbs. and are slightly longer than wide, with very thick flesh. The color is salmon to orange and the skin a greenish-yellow when ripe. The flesh is very sweet and its exceptional thickness leaves practically no seed cavity. Distinct, although not deep ridges, and fairly dense netting. A perfect home garden melon.

LEEK

One oz. of Seed to 200 ft. of Row



GIANT FLAG. Highly esteemed as a fall and winter substitute for green onions. Excellent for stews, soups or creamed. Belongs to the onion family but is considered of finer flavor. Mild and sweet; very hardy and easily cultivated in the home garden. The edible stems are 6 to 8 inches in length and about 3 inches in diameter. (Pkt. 20c) (½ oz. 45c) (oz. 75c) (¼ lb. \$2.00) (½ lb. \$3.00) (lb. \$5.50).

BURGESS' ONION SEED

One Ounce for 200 Feet of Row—4 to 6 Lbs. Per Acre

Days Indicated Are From Seed To Mature Dried Onions



Early Harvest Hybrid

EARLY HARVEST HYBRID

90 days. This outstanding F1 Hybrid features earlier onions that are more uniform, will keep longer when stored, and will give more than double the yield of standard varieties. It is unquestionably the finest for young green onions. Ready for the table in just 50 days from seed. The mature onions are globe-shaped with a light golden skin and the flesh is mildly pungent.

YELLOW SWEET SPANISH

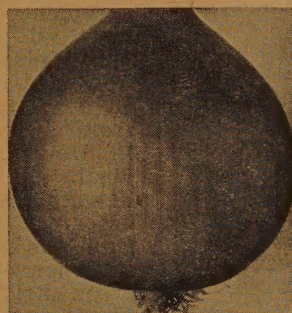
The Largest and Sweetest Onion

UTAH STRAIN—110 days. This globe-shaped Onion is the largest and sweetest variety grown. The flesh is pure white, of very fine grain, crisp, juicy, and so mild and sweet that it is unsurpassed for eating raw. The skin is light yellow. Although of gigantic size, it has a small top, is a fair keeper, and, if allowed to dry thoroughly, will stand shipping. Utah Sweet Spanish is more resistant to thrips and mildew blight than most varieties.

WHITE SWEET SPANISH

The Largest White Onion
Jumbo Strain

110 days. Identical in every way to Yellow Sweet Spanish except color, which is pure white. Mammoth in size, solid, crisp, juicy, sweet and mild. The most handsome white onion ever grown.



Sweet Spanish

EVERGREEN WHITE BUNCHING

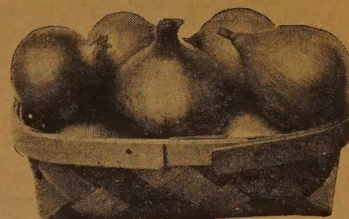
For "Green" Onions

60 days to bunching size. A very profitable home and market garden variety for young or bunching onions. Produces a cluster of 4 to 6 long, white shoots from a single seed in the first season. By drawing the soil up around the plants these tender shoots can be blanched. Winters over well and provides a heavy crop for early spring if planted in midsummer.

CRYSTAL WHITE WAX

The Best Pickler—(White Bermuda)

90 days. This White Bermuda Onion is extra mild and sweet. The onions are medium-large, flat and pure white. Many car loads are grown annually in Texas and shipped North for early Spring use. Also does well in the North. One of the earliest Onions grown, and the earliest of the Bermuda type.



Brigham Yellow Globe

BRIGHAM YELLOW GLOBE

110 days. This fine strain is superior to the old strains of Southport and is preferred by most growers. Brigham Strain of Southport has better-keeping qualities and larger yields. Our seed is grown from large, yellow, globe-shaped bulbs and is extra fine and is a week earlier than standard Southport Yellow Globe.

EARLY YELLOW GLOBE

100 days. Earliest of the standard yellow globe type. It has fine globe shape, beautiful yellow color and good size. Two weeks earlier than Danvers or Southport strains of yellow globe. An enormous, sure cropper and a good winter keeper.

SOUTHPORT WHITE GLOBE

110 days. This large, round, white Onion is the most widely planted of the white varieties as it keeps well in storage and always brings a fancy price on the market.

SOUTHPORT RED GLOBE

110 days. The best round red Onion. Keeps well and a good yielder.

Sweet Onion Collection

One Pkt. Each	All
Crystal White Wax	4 Pkts. 60c
White Sweet Spanish	
Yellow Sweet Spanish	
Yellow Bermuda	

The Extra Long Keeping Onion

EBENEZER

100 days. The flesh is white, firm and of a very delicate flavor. The Onions are quite similar to Yellow Globe Danvers in shape but much larger in size, yellow skinned and have very small tops. Those who want a nice Onion, either for large Onions or bottom sets, would do well to try the Ebenezer. Sets of this variety rarely produce seed stalks as other kinds do. They will keep sound and hard all winter. The best variety for sets and the heaviest yielder.

YELLOW BERMUDA EXCEL 986

The "Northern" Bermuda

90 days. An earlier, slower-to-bolt Bermuda that can be planted farther North. Highly recommended for South. Heavy yielder of quality onions. An All-America Winner.

ONION PRICES

	Packet	½ Oz.	Oz.	¼ Lb.	½ Lb.	Lb.	
Brigham Yellow Globe.....	\$0.25	\$0.45	\$0.75	\$2.00	\$2.90	\$4.85	WRITE FOR PRICES ON LARGER QUAN- TITIES
Crystal White Wax (White Bermuda)....	.20	.45	.75	2.00	2.90	4.85	
Early Harvest Hybrid.....	.30	.75	1.25	3.50			
Early Yellow Globe.....	.20	.40	.70	1.90	2.80	4.70	
Ebenezer.....	.20	.40	.70	1.90	2.80	4.70	
Evergreen White Bunching.....	.20	.45	.75	2.00	2.90	4.85	
Southport Red Globe.....	.20	.45	.75	2.00	2.90	4.85	
Southport White Globe.....	.20	.45	.75	2.00	2.90	4.85	
White Sweet Spanish (Jumbo Strain)...	.20	.50	.85	2.25	3.50	6.00	
Yellow Bermuda, Excel 986.....	.15	.35	.60	1.70	2.60	4.30	
Yellow Sweet Spanish.....	.20	.50	.85	2.25	3.50	6.00	

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WATERMELON

One Oz. for 25 Hills—4 Lbs. per Acre.
Pure strains for the critical gardener.



DIXIE QUEEN (Standard)

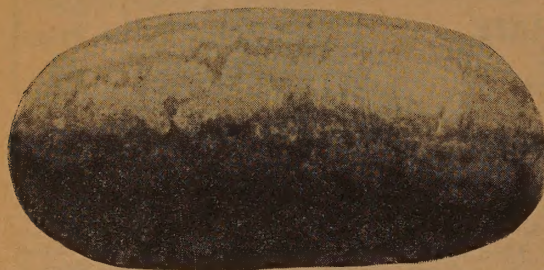
Wilt-Resistant Strain

80 days. We have an exceptionally fine uniform strain of this popular second-early variety. Fruits are oval-round, light green with dark green stripes. It is a medium large sized melon weighing about 30 lbs. Rind is thin, but tough. The bright red flesh is crisp, sweet and practically free from fiber, and the few seeds are small and white. A good home and market garden variety and will stand shipping to nearby markets.

TOM WATSON

Red-Heart Strain

88 days. The improved "Cut-Red" or "Red-Heart" strain has no white heart. The handsome, dark green rind is thin, but hard and tough, so is unsurpassed as a market sort. The melons are usually 20 to 24" in length and 10 to 12" through, averaging 40 lbs. each. A good yielder and a great money maker in all markets. Flesh dark red, firm and of excellent quality.



CONGO

90 days. This outstanding melon was developed by the U. S. Dept. of Agriculture. It is a long, medium thick melon with slick green appearance and darker green stripes. Weighs 40 lbs. Anthracnose resistant, even in wet weather. Beautiful red deep heart, medium size, white seeds with brown smears. Excellent shipper, good for home garden.



Improved Kleckley (Wilt-Resistant)

85 days. A wilt-resistant strain of Kleckley's Sweet that will grow and thrive on wilt-sick soil. It retains all the superb qualities of the old reliable Kleckley's Sweet or Monte Cristo. The attractive, oblong melons will average 30 lbs. The rich, glossy, dark green rind is tougher than Kleckley's Sweet, making it a better shipper. The flesh is bright red, crisp, tender and deliciously sweet and melting.

← HYBRID DIXIE QUEEN

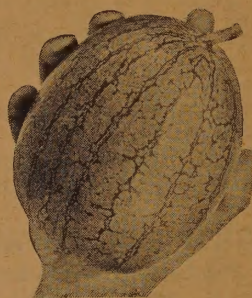
75 days. The finest and most uniform Watermelon yet introduced. An F₁ Hybrid that is really outstanding. It is also earlier and much more productive than Standard Dixie Queen. Under normal growing conditions, the melons will weigh about 40 lbs. Flesh is rich red, firm, crisp and exceptionally sweet. (Pkt., 25 seeds, 75c) (Jumbo Pkt., 75 seeds, \$1.85) (½ oz. \$2.65) (Oz. \$4.75) (¼ lb. \$15.00) (½ lb. \$28.00) (Lb. \$50.00)

NEW HAMPSHIRE MIDGET

Smallest of Them All

65 days. This relatively new Watermelon has had phenomenal acceptance by almost all gardeners. Being "Ice-Box" size, only 6" in diameter or from 4 to 6 lbs. in weight, it is ideal for every day use, even as a breakfast melon.

Fruit has thin rind, with deliciously sweet, strawberry-red flesh. A very prolific, light green melon with dark green stripes and black seeds. A fine home garden variety.



WINTER WATERMELON

The Long-Keeper

90 days. A home grown melon for your Thanksgiving dinner. It is not a citron or a freak, but a very prolific long-keeping true Watermelon. Flesh red, extremely firm, very brittle and deliciously sweet. Fruits taken from the field before killing frost and stored in a cool place will keep long into the late fall and early winter and retain their delicious sweetness and flavor.

CHARLESTON GREY

Photo at Right →

90 days. A highly disease-resistant long gray variety developed by the U. S. Dept. of Agriculture. It is especially fine for shipping due to its very tough, thin rind. The flesh is solid, bright red and most delicious. Melons grow to 40 pounds and have brownish-black seeds. This fine variety can be grown in the North as well as in the South for market and home gardens.



Jumbo Watermelon

100 LB. JUMBO

State Fair Melon

90 days. This mammoth variety was introduced by us in 1941. Grow some of these giant Watermelons and win some prizes at your State or County Fair. More prizes for large melons have no doubt been won with Jumbo than with all other varieties of Watermelons combined. With rich soil and good care, mammoth size melons can be produced wherever ordinary melons can be successfully grown. The dark green oval fruits will average 50 lbs., but melons weighing 100 lbs. have been grown. The rind is hard and tough and will ship long distances. The deep red flesh is firm, sweet and of the finest quality. Seeds large, brownish-black.

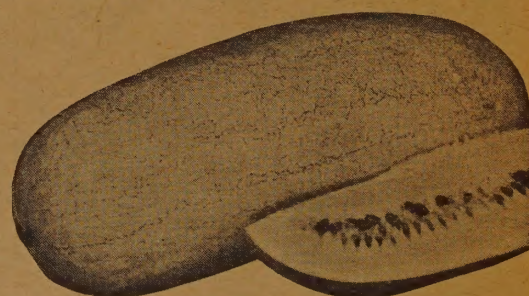
HOPE DIAMOND

90 days. This Anthracnose and Fusarium Wilt-Resistant variety replaces the older variety, Black Diamond. It is not only disease resistant, but has a much higher sugar content. The flesh is also brighter red and it is more free of both white heart and hollow heart. The melons keep well in storage and are extra good shippers. 35 to 45-lb. melons are produced in abundance on thrifty vines, giving high-tonnage yields per acre.

GOLDEN HONEY

A Delicious Yellow-Fleshed Watermelon

85 days. Flesh of rich golden color, firm, crisp and glistening, sweet as honey, and fairly melts in your mouth. No hard core or stringiness. Fruits oblong, dark green with darker green stripes and average 20 lbs.



WATERMELON BARGAIN

- 1 Pkt. Northern Sweet
- 1 Pkt. Imp. Kleckley's
- 1 Pkt. Dixie Queen Standard
- 1 Pkt. N. H. Midget

ALL 4 PKTS. 60¢

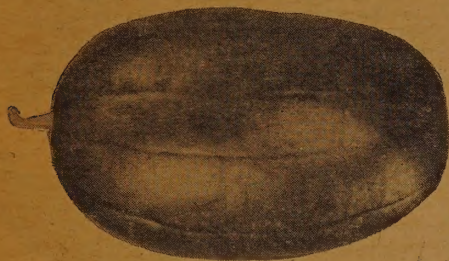
WATERMELON PRICES

	Packet	Oz.	¼ Lb.	Lb.
Charleston Grey	\$0.20	\$0.50	\$1.30	\$3.00
Congo	.15	.40	1.00	2.50
Dixie Queen W.R. (Standard)	.15	.40	1.00	2.50
Dixie Queen Hybrid	(See Description For Prices)			
Golden Honey	.20	.50	1.30	3.00
Hope Diamond	.25	.60	1.50	3.50
Improved Kleckley (Wilt-Resistant)	.20	.45	1.15	2.75
Jumbo	.25	.65	1.60	3.75
Klondike (Wilt Resistant)	.20	.55	1.40	3.25
New Hampshire Midget	.25	.65	1.60	3.75
Northern Sweet	.20	.50	1.30	3.00
Sugar Baby	.25	.60	1.50	3.50
Tom Watson	.15	.40	1.00	2.50
Winter	.15	.40	1.00	2.50



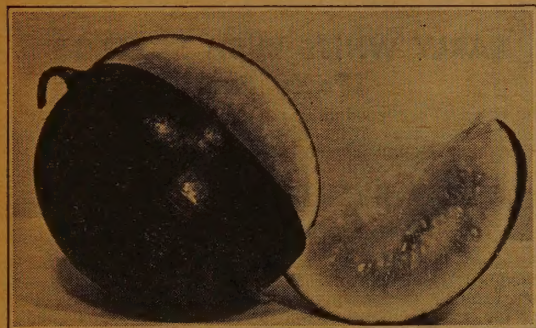
NORTHERN SWEET

68 days. This Early Watermelon weighs only 15 lbs., and is one of the earliest watermelons. Fruits are nearly round, medium green with dark green stripes; rind very thin. Flesh very deep red, crisp, sweet, and delicious; seeds light brown. Ideal for home garden and local truckers.



KLONDIKE (Wilt-Resistant)

78 days. One of the best early melons. They are oblong, of an even dark green color, and usually weigh 25 lbs. Flesh is deep red, exceptionally crisp and tender, as well as most delicious in flavor. The seeds vary from deep tan to black. It has a very high sugar content. Our strain of this melon is an exceptionally heavy yielder and gives excellent satisfaction in the North. Sweetest of all watermelons.



SUGAR BABY

75 days. An "ice-box" size Watermelon that is just right for 2 servings. Grows about 8" in diameter and has a dark green outside color with a few faint stripes. Flesh is sugar sweet and dark red. The seeds are small and dark brown. Weighs about 10 lbs.

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PEPPERS

Easily Grown From Seed

MICHIGAN WONDER

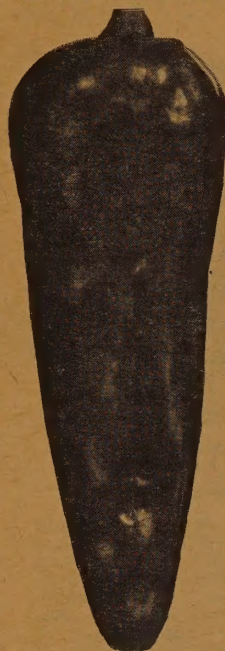
Burgess' "Thick-Meated" Pepper

68 days. This is the famous Burgess "Thick-Meated" Pepper that has become No. 1 with our customers. Fruits are dark green, changing to crimson at maturity. They are 4½ inches long and 3¾ inches across with extremely thick flesh. Michigan Wonder is the most uniform and the finest pepper we know of for the market and home gardener. Will weigh more for its size than any other pepper.

PACEMAKER

"The Earliest One"

55 days. This fine variety is the earliest Pepper grown. Fruits are ready to pick in 55 days after setting out plants. It is extremely prolific and continues to bear until killed by frost. Fruits 3" x 2", dark green, changing to bright red. Mild and sweet.



ITALIAN SWEET

Long, Red, Mild and Sweet

60 days. Sweetest of all Peppers, productive and exceptionally mild. Wonderful to decorate salads. 5" to 6" long, 2½" wide tapering to blunt point. Deep green at early stages, turning bright red. Dwarf, upright plants. Delicious eaten raw or cooked.

KING OF THE NORTH

The Stuffing Pepper

65 days. This is the earliest of the mammoth-size Peppers. The fruits which, when ripe, are of a brilliant red color, average about 5½" long and 3½" across. The flesh is firm, very sweet and mild. The plants are of a branching growth and literally covered with large fruit. Most valuable Pepper for stuffing.

LONG RED CAYENNE

70 days. The leading hot pepper. 5 inches long and about ½ inch thick. Very early. Flesh is thick and pungent. Smooth, tapered, waxy light yellow, turning bright red.

SWEET CHERRY

62 days. Gaining in popularity for pickling, both at green stage and when ripened to cherry red. It is also attractive when sliced in rings for salads. The fruits grow to 1¼" across and 1½" deep and are slightly tapered to blossom end. Very mild and sweet, particularly when red.

HUNGARIAN YELLOW

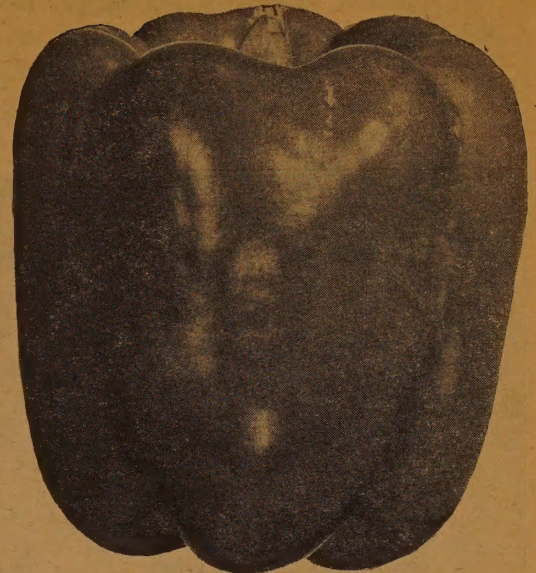
65 days. The earliest Hot Pepper. Fruits 1½ inches across at shoulder and taper to 6 inches in length. Extremely hot and of bright waxy yellow color, changing to bright cherry red at full maturity. Fine for pickling and canning. Its beautiful color almost makes it an ornamental in garden.

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Days Indicated Are From
Plant Setting To Picking
1 oz. For 1500 Plants



YOLO WONDER

(Mosaic Resistant)

72 days. It is a mosaic resistant variety similar to California Wonder. The fruits are dark green, thick walled and turn to crimson when ripe. They grow to 2¾" across and 4" long, with a high percentage having three and four lobes at the end. Market growers and shippers are finding it better than the older mosaic-susceptible California Wonder.

CALIFORNIA WONDER

75 days. A Pepper of exceptional merit. Its medium thick walls are firm and the flesh is deliciously sweet and spicy, with no bite to it. The fruits will average about 4 inches in diameter and 4½ inches in length. The skin is smooth and glossy, deep green, turning to crimson.

GOLDEN WONDER

A Yellow Michigan Wonder

65 days. An early, large, thick-meated pepper like Michigan Wonder, except earlier and the green fruits turn golden yellow when mature.

PIMIENTO

73 days. Grown for canning and home gardens. Fruits medium sized, heart-shaped, sweet and of excellent flavor. 3 in. long and 2 in. through the shoulder. Start early in far North.

RED CHILI

"One of the Hottest"

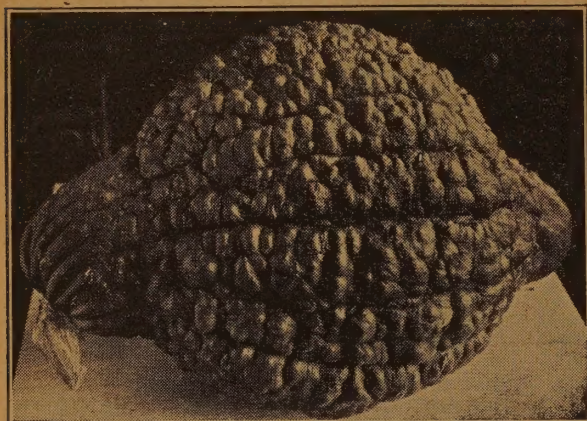
82 days. One of the hottest peppers for making pickles and Tabasco Sauce. Fruits 2 inches long and ½ inch thick and cone-shaped. They are light green, changing to deep red.

PEPPER PRICES	Pkt.	½ Oz.	Oz.	¼ Lb.	½ Lb.	Lb.
California Wonder.....	\$0.20	\$0.60	\$1.00	\$2.75	\$4.75	\$8.50
Golden Wonder.....	.25	.80	(Short Crop)			
Hungarian Yellow.....	.25	.65	1.10	3.00	5.00	9.00
Italian Sweet.....	.25	.80	1.40	3.70	6.00	11.00
King of the North.....	.25	.65	1.10	3.00	5.00	9.00
Long Red Cayenne.....	.20	.60	1.00	2.75	4.75	8.50
Michigan Wonder.....	.25	.75	1.30	3.50	5.75	10.50
Pacemaker.....	.25	.75	1.30	3.50	5.75	10.50
Pimento.....	.25	.65	1.10	3.00	5.00	9.00
Red Chili.....	.25	.70	1.20	3.30	5.50	10.00
Sweet Cherry.....	.25	.90	(Short Crop)			
Yolo Wonder.....	.25	.65	1.10	3.00	5.00	9.00

WINTER SQUASH

1 Ounce to 10 Hills; 2 to 3 lbs. per Acre

Winter squashes are usually eaten after they are fully matured, although most of them can be picked young and prepared as Summer squash. Mature fruits can be stored in a cool place until well into the winter.



TRUE WARTED HUBBARD

105 days. Our stock of this variety is extra select, uniform in shape and very warted. An extra good keeper and will average 14 lbs.

GOLDEN OR RED HUBBARD

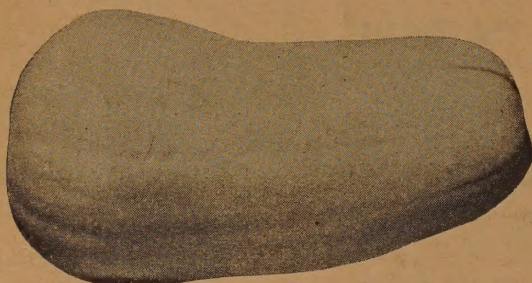
95 days. Fruits orange-red and average 8 lbs. The flesh is drier than the other Hubbards, which makes it exceptionally fine for pies, freezing and canning.

BLUE HUBBARD

105 days. Fruits average 12 lbs., blue-gray in color and pointed at both ends. The thick orange flesh is fine grained and superior in flavor to the other Hubbard varieties. Our select stock will meet the most critical market grower's requirements.

DELICIOUS

98 days. Unsurpassed for sweetness, richness of flavor and extraordinary quality. Excellent for fall and winter use; keeps well into the winter. Fruits usually weigh 7 lbs.; rind dark green, mottled in lighter shades; dark orange flesh; very thick and fine grained.



BUTTERNUT

95 days. This variety is more resistant to disease and to the squash bug than the other varieties. Fruits are 10" to 12" long, and are bottle shaped. The neck is 4" in diameter and is solid flesh. The small seed cavity is located in the base of the fruit. The skin is buff colored and the flesh is light yellow, extremely firm, dry and fine grained. Will average 4 lbs. It is a good keeper and is fine for pies and delicious when baked or boiled.

SWEET MEAT SQUASH

Keeps All Winter

95 days. One of the finest yet introduced. Will keep all Winter and well into the Summer in perfect condition. The deep yellow flesh is thick and fine grained. The mild flavor is extra sweet. Exterior is greenish-gray color and turban shaped. Will average 15 to 20 lbs. each. Sweet Meat is of the vining type.



BUTTERCUP

Excellent Flavor—Very Sweet

96 days. A variety of superb quality, developed at the North Dakota Experiment Station. The squashes weigh between 3 and 5 pounds and have thin, tough, green skin. There are no strings or fiber and the deep, rich orange flesh is untinged with green. It is a squash of excellent flavor, very sweet; the texture is smooth and comparatively dry. Many who have tried it pronounce it to be the best squash they have ever tasted.



BUSH BUTTERCUP

Ideal for Small Gardens

92 days. This bush variety should be grown in every garden where space is limited. Bush Buttercup takes up 3 feet of space instead of trailing. It produces 3 to 7 delicious Buttercup type fruit, 4 to 5 lbs. each, with thick, orange flesh of excellent flavor and texture, each just right for a meal.

TABLE QUEEN or ACORN

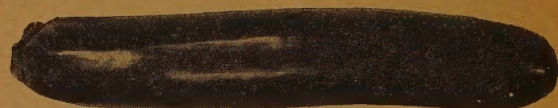
Deep Yellow, Dry, Sweet

85 days. The most convenient size for baking and serving in the shell. The fruit is dark green, deeply ribbed and will average 5 inches long and 4 inches in diameter. Flesh deep yellow, dry, sweet and of delicious flavor. When picked about half grown and cooked like summer squash, it is extremely fine. An enormous yielder and a good winter keeper.

SUMMER SQUASH

1 Ounce to 25 Hills; 3 to 4 lbs. per Acre

The Bush Summer Squash should always be eaten very young, either boiled or fried. If fruits are kept picked the plants will bear all summer long. Being bush type, they take much less space in the garden.



HYBRID ZUCCHINI

Uniform Sized Fruit on Every Plant

50 days. A true F₁ Hybrid that produces dark shiny medium-green fruits in abundance. They grow to 12" long and only 2½" in diameter. At this size, they are just right for slicing and frying. They are usually picked when only 6" long for boiling. This variety has finer texture and richer flavor and will outyield all other Zucchini types.

BLACK BEAUTY (Zucchini Type)

55 days. The chief advantage of this Squash is its high productivity over a long-bearing season. Earlier than standard strains of Zucchini. They are very tender, and a table delicacy. Fine when boiled or cut in slices and fried in butter. Also delicious when cut lengthwise and baked with a strip of bacon on each piece. It should please the most critical gardener.



EARLY PROLIFIC STRAIGHTNECK

Productive to Frost

50 days. Productive from the time the first fruits are formed until killed by frost. It is strictly bush in habit of growth, which permits close planting. The beautiful clear yellow fruits are smooth and straight. They are firm and in fine condition at any length from four to fourteen inches. It is equally suitable for the home or market gardener. The uniformly straight fruits are convenient for packing and shipping. The table quality is unsurpassed by any of the summer squashes.

EARLY WHITE BUSH SCALLOP (Patty Pan)

52 days. Very productive; a favorite with market gardeners. Best for eating when only 2 inches across and sold as the "Dollar Squash" on some markets.

EARLY SUMMER CROOKNECK

Most Popular Crookneck

52 days. This variety has a curved neck and should be picked when only a few inches long, as it becomes stringy when larger. Exceedingly prolific when kept picked. Popular for home gardens as well as shipping.

BANANA SQUASH—2' Long

105 days. This deep pink squash, 24" long and 6 to 7" in diameter, has yellowish-orange flesh that is sweet and very delicious. It is a great yielder and a good keeper, too. Best of all, it will produce a crop where other winter squashes do not succeed.

Prepaid SQUASH PRICES

WINTER SQUASH VARIETIES

	Packet	Oz.	¼ Lb.	Lb.
Banana	\$0.15	\$0.40	\$.95	\$2.65
Blue Hubbard	.15	.45	1.00	2.75
Buttercup	.20	.60	1.35	3.35
Bush Buttercup	.25	.80	1.65	3.85
Butternut	.20	.60	1.35	3.35
Delicious	.15	.45	1.00	2.75
Golden Hubbard	.15	.45	1.00	2.75
Table Queen	.15	.35	.90	2.55
True Warted Hubbard	.15	.40	.95	2.65
Sweet Meat	.25	.65	1.45	3.40
Vegetable Spaghetti	.25	.65	1.45	3.40

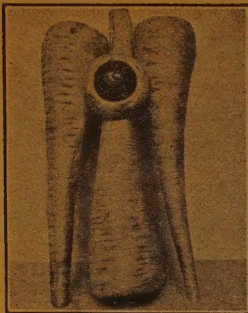
SUMMER SQUASH VARIETIES

	Packet	Oz.	¼ Lb.	Lb.
Black Beauty (Zucchini)	.25	.70	1.50	3.50
Early Prolific Straightneck	.15	.50	1.10	2.90
Early Summer Crookneck	.15	.40	.95	2.65
Early White Bush Scallop	.15	.35	.90	2.55
Hybrid Zucchini (½ oz. 75c)	.35	1.25	2.65	6.80

WRITE
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ON
LARGER
QUANTITIES

PARSNIP

One oz. to 150 ft. of row; 4 to 6 lbs. per acre.



HOLLOW CROWN

Parsnips contain a good supply of Vitamin B₁ and potassium, also a fair amount of Vitamins C and G. Our seed is grown from selected stock and is extra fine. (Pkt. 15c) (oz. 35c) (¼ lb. 85c) (lb. \$2.00) (Price per lb. for 3 lbs. or more \$1.65)

SALSIFY or Vegetable Oyster



One oz. to 75 ft. of row.

MAMMOTH SANDWICH ISLAND

Salsify or Vegetable Oyster is grown like Parsnip and is very delicious. Cover the plants with leaves or straw in the fall and you can dig them all winter and spring when other fresh vegetables are scarce. The young leaves or shoots that start in the spring are most delicious in salads. (Pkt. 20c) (oz. 65c) (¼ lb. \$1.65) (lb. \$4.85)

TAMPALA

A DELICIOUS VEGETABLE FROM CHINA

Tampala is a delicious green vegetable, the leaves of which may be eaten raw or cooked like spinach. Much better than spinach in flavor and in many other respects. Tampala is entirely different in flavor from other vegetables. More food value than either spinach or chard, and so tender the leaves require only five minutes to cook, with only the water that clings to the leaves when washed. Branches 4 to 5" in length may be quickly gathered instead of picking individual leaves. Tampala may be planted early and is usually ready for eating in six weeks after seed is sown. It does well in hot weather and will keep on producing all summer. (Pkt. 25c) (½ oz. 65c) (oz. \$1.20)

Keep Radishes Free Of Maggots

Use Safe Chlordane Dust
No After Taste

You can avoid having wormy radishes and prevent worm damage to broccoli, cabbage, cauliflower, carrots, onions and others. Just dust this high concentrate powder on soil around base of plants or dissolve it in water to apply by sprinkling can or standard household sprayer. Also suitable for killing lawn pests. Safe to use, as crops can be eaten the next day after dusting or spraying. 50% CHLORDANE (Wettable Powder) (8 oz. \$1.25) (1 lb. \$2.25) (4 lbs. \$6.50)



Best Control for Squash Bugs . . . Chinch Bugs SABADILLA DUST

This marvelous new discovery gives perfect control of some of the tough garden bugs which up to now have been almost impossible to kill. Such "Toughies" as stink bugs, squash bugs, harlequin bugs, lygus bugs, Say's plant bugs and most others are easily disposed of. Best dust of all to keep your melons, squash, cabbage, collards, etc., absolutely clean. Also, fine for chinch bugs in sweet corn, and hairy chinch bugs in the lawn.

Absolutely safe, as it contains no DDT or arsenicals. Complete directions sent with every order. 20% SABADILLA DUST (1 lb. \$1.10) (5 lbs. \$3.50) postpaid.

Other Dusts & Sprays—Pages 41 to 46

SELECT RADISH SEED

1 oz. for 100'
10 lbs. Per Acre



Burgess' Special

BURGESS' SPECIAL Scarlet Globe—Short Top

22 days. Our Special Market Gardener's Strain of Early Scarlet Globe is unequalled. Specially selected for short top, earliness, true-ness to type and color. Our seed is produced from transplanted roots. For the market or home gardener who wants the best, this stock is well worth the additional expense.



Cherry Belle

CHAMPION

The Hot Weather Radish

25 days. This king-size, bright scarlet, round radish is about the size of a silver dollar. The quality is of the best and it stands a long time without getting pithy. Its long-standing advantage makes it an all-purpose, beautiful, crisp radish for home or market garden. Successive sowings of seed will give top quality radishes all summer as it will do exceptionally well in hot weather.

CHERRY BELLE

Early Round Red—Short Top

24 days. This is one of the best. It has beautiful red coloring, with pure white, flavorful flesh and crisp texture. Its short tops and slender root make it ideal for both home and market. You cannot go wrong on this one; we recommend it without qualification.

ICICLE

27 days. The best long white Radish; mild and sweet. A favorite with market gardeners and for the home garden. Roots 6" long. Will stand hot weather better than most varieties.

EARLY SCARLET GLOBE— MEDIUM TOP

22 days. A popular early round radish which is recommended for both forcing and outdoor planting. Color rich scarlet.

CRIMSON GIANT. Discontinued
We Recommend—Champion

SPARKLER

25 days. A very popular variety in home and market gardens. The Sparkler strain is bright scarlet with a white tip comprising about one third of the area about the tip. Round, medium size with small tap root. Tops are medium to small.

BARGAIN RADISH COLLECTION

1 Pkt. Burgess Special Scarlet Globe ALL 4 PKTS.
1 Pkt. Icicle
1 Pkt. Champion
1 Pkt. Sparkler
Only 60c

WINTER RADISH

Winter Radishes mature in 50 to 60 days. For winter use, plant in mid-summer. When harvested store in moist sand and fresh, crisp radishes may be had nearly all winter.

WHITE CHINESE or CELESTIAL

The finest of all white winter radishes. 9" long, and about 3" in diameter. The flesh is crisp, juicy, tender, and mild.

Prepaid RADISH PRICES

	Packet	Oz.	¼ Lb.	Lb.
Burgess' Special Scarlet Globe .	\$0.25	\$0.45	\$0.90	\$1.75
Champion	.25	.55	1.10	1.90
Cherry Belle	.20	.40	.80	1.65
Early Scarlet Globe	.15	.35	.70	1.45
Icicle	.15	.35	.70	1.45
Poultry (Sakurajima)	.25	.75	1.50	3.50
Sparkler	.15	.35	.70	1.45
White Chinese	.20	.40	.80	1.65

WRITE FOR PRICES ON LARGER QUANTITIES

PUMPKIN

1 oz. for 20 Hills
3 to 4 lbs. Per Acre

JUMBO →

110 days. This pumpkin is really a giant. When well grown will average 75 lbs. with specimens weighing over 100 lbs. Always a prize winner at exhibitions. It is a splendid keeper and valuable for feeding purposes as well as first quality for pies. Our strain is earlier and extra select. (Pkt. 20c) (oz. 45c) (¼ lb. \$1.00) (lb. \$2.50)

SMALL SUGAR

100 days. The most popular pie pumpkin. Looks like a Field Pumpkin, but is smaller and of much better quality. Flesh sweet and tender; excellent keeper. (Pkt. 20c) (oz. 40c) (¼ lb. 90c) (lb. \$2.25)

JACK O'LANTERN →

110 days. Here at last is a pumpkin developed specifically for Hallowe'en carving, although it is equally fine for pies and canning. The Jack O' Lantern is the right size—the right shape—for best and easiest Jack O' Lantern carving. Stands 9" high, measures 7" to 8" in diameter, with smooth skin and firm, even-textured flesh. (Pkt. 20c) (oz. 50c) (¼ lb. \$1.20) (lb. \$2.70)



Jack O' Lantern

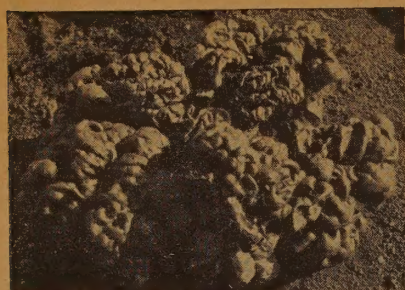


Write for Prices on Larger Quantities

SPINACH

Makes the Finest Greens

1 Oz. to 75' of Row; 8 to 10 lbs. per Acre



AMERICA

The Best Crumpled Variety

48 days. The finest and best crumpled variety for early spring and late fall crops. It stands longer than any other Spinach—as much as two weeks longer without bolting. The extra-dark green leaves are broad and crumpled. They grow to 8" long and are never strong or bitter. Extensively planted for shipping and freezing as well as the home garden. (Pkt. 20c) (oz. 40c) (¼ lb. 90c) (lb. \$1.35)



NEW ZEALAND or Everbearing

(Hot Weather Spinach)

70 days. Not a true Spinach, though similar when cooked. It makes large, spreading plants, with small, thick, pointed, dark green leaves. Only the young leaves and tips of branches are used, and the more they are picked the faster the plant grows. It will give fine greens all summer and fall. Especially suited to dry and hot locations. (Pkt. 20c) (oz. 40c) (¼ lb. 90c) (lb. \$1.35)

NORTHLAND

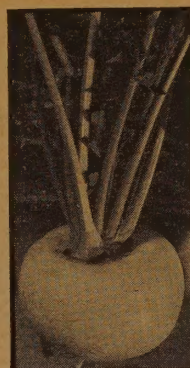
The Best Smooth Variety

45 days. A long standing, smooth leaf variety that is preferred by home gardeners. Freezers also like it, as it cleans easier. Gives enormous yields of 10" long leaves that are dark green, tender and of excellent quality even if the plants are allowed to attain full size. We consider it the best smooth leaf variety and it is suitable for early spring and fall planting. (Pkt. 20c) (oz. 40c) (¼ lb. 90c) (lb. \$1.35)



TURNIPS

Turnips and Rutabagas One oz. for 200 ft. of row; 1½ to 2 lbs. per acre



HYBRID ←JUST RIGHT

28 days. This all-purpose F1 Hybrid Turnip is the finest turnip ever offered. It can be grown for the tops for greens or for a bountiful crop of roots. The turnips are flattened globe-shaped, smooth and all white. They

are well finished right up to the tops and grow to 5" or 6" across when mature. Just Right is suitable for a Spring or Fall crop and can be planted any time for greens. (Pkt. 40c) (½ oz. 65c) (oz. \$1.00) (¼ lb. \$3.00) (½ lb. \$5.00) (lb. \$8.00)

EARLY PURPLE TOP

(Earliest of All)

45 days. The standard early variety. Roots broad and flat, of medium size; white, purple top. Extensively sown for table use. (Pkt. 15c) (oz. 25c) (¼ lb. 55c) (lb. \$1.30) (3 lbs. or more, \$1.10 per lb.)

FOLIAGE OR SHOGIN

30 days. Edible tops and roots. Will grow and thrive in hot, dry weather, giving an abundance of both greens and sweet, tender turnips of excellent quality. (Pkt. 15c) (oz. 25c) (¼ lb. 55c) (lb. \$1.30) (3 lbs. or more, \$1.10 per lb.)



PURPLE TOP WHITE GLOBE

55 days. (See Photo Above.) The most popular white Turnip for fall and winter use. Flesh pure white, fine grained and of fine flavor. Heavy yielder and splendid keeper. Desirable for table or stock. (Pkt. 15c) (oz. 25c) (¼ lb. 50c) (lb. \$1.25) (3 lbs. or more, \$1.05 per lb.)

WHITE EGG

55 days. A quick growing, egg-shaped, smooth, pure white variety. Flesh firm, sweet and mild. Adapted to either spring or fall sowing. (Pkt. 15c) (oz. 25c) (¼ lb. 55c) (lb. \$1.30) (3 lbs. or more, \$1.10 per lb.)

RUTABAGA

American Purple Top Yellow

90 days. The best all-around variety. The flesh is yellow and of fine flavor. (Pkt. 15c) (oz. 30c) (¼ lb. 60c) (lb. \$1.35) (3 lbs. or more \$1.10 per lb.)

HERBS

The Magic
In Good Cookery

BASIL, SWEET

Extensively used as flavoring for green vegetable salad, basil butter, egg dishes, cooked tomatoes, cooked onions and other dishes. Plants can be started in the spring for summer use or started in pots in September for winter use. Plants grow to 12". (Pkt. 25c) (½ oz. 65c) (oz. \$1.20)

*CATNIP or CATMINT

For seasoning and animal tonic; also used as tea for nervous headaches. Plants grow to 18". (Pkt. 25c) (½ oz. 75c) (oz. \$1.35)

*CHIVES

Belongs to the onion family, but without the pungent onion-like flavor. It is well established in its everyday use as flavoring in many foods such as salads, soups, eggs, cheese, etc. It is hardy enough to remain over winter in the garden or can be potted for winter use. Plants grow to 12". (Pkt. 25c) (½ oz. 90c) (oz. \$1.60) (¼ lb. \$4.00)

DILL

Used in the green state for flavoring pickles. The seed is also used in pickle making. Dill improves the flavor of all fish dishes and is used in making dill butter. Some like just a touch of it in the green salad. Plants grow to 3'. (Pkt. 20c) (oz. 40c) (¼ lb. \$1.00) (lb. \$2.25)

FINOCCHIO or FLORENCE FENNEL

Its fibrous roots are eaten raw as an appetizer, instead of celery, and as a main-vegetable dish when boiled and creamed with the addition of Parmesan Cheese. The stems are also cooked and eaten when young. Roots, leaves or stems are used in flavoring soup or bouillions. Plants grow to 3'. (Pkt. 25c) (½ oz. 65c) (oz. \$1.20)

*HOREHOUND

Used for flavoring candy, and tea for coughs. Plants grow to 3'. (Pkt. 25c) (½ oz. 70c) (oz. \$1.30)

*LAVENDER

The true lavender cherished for its fragrance and blue flowers. May be dried for sachets. Plants grow to 2'. Lavender plants on page 52. (Pkt. 25c) (½ oz. \$1.50) (oz. \$2.75)

MARJORAM, SWEET

Adds a fine touch of flavor to a great many vegetable and meat dishes, but is best used in combination with some other herb, such as Thyme. Fine when mixed with Sage as a poultry seasoning. Can be grown in the garden or potted for winter use. Plants grow to 18". (Pkt. 25c) (½ oz. 90c) (oz. \$1.60)

Herb Mixtures ANNUAL HERB MIX

This is a well balanced blend of all the above ANNUAL varieties. It is just right for a small annual Herb Garden.

(Pkt. 35c) (½ oz. \$1.00)

PERENNIAL HERB MIX

This is a well balanced blend of all the above PERENNIAL varieties. It is just right for a small perennial Herb Garden.

(Pkt. 35c) (½ oz. \$1.00)

*ROSEMARY

One of the leading herbs. Adds a delicious flavor to all meats. Fine seasoning for poultry and veal dressing and fish dishes. Used in salads and soups. The aromatic oil is used in drinks. Plants grow to 2". (Pkt. 25c) (½ oz. \$1.50) (oz. \$2.75)

SAFFRON

A spice for the flavoring and coloring (greenish-yellow) of bouillions, soups, fish and rice dishes. Plants grow to 2". (Pkt. 25c) (½ oz. \$1.00) (oz. \$1.85)

*SAGE

The best of all for seasoning dressings, sausages, etc. Pick the leaves only and dry them whole. So much better than packaged sage, where stems are included. Plants grow to 18". (Pkt. 20c) (½ oz. 60c) (oz. \$1.00) (¼ lb. \$2.75)

SUMMER SAVORY

Used to moderate the flavor of cabbage, brussels sprouts, turnips, onions, dried peas and beans. A delicious addition to soups, gravies and boiled meats such as ham. Used in green vegetable and tomato salads. Plants grow to 12". (Pkt. 25c) (½ oz. 65c) (oz. \$1.20)

*THYME

An all-round cooking herb used alone or with other herbs. It adds a delicate flavor to all cookery and salads. It not only adds zest to foods, but is healthful and an aid to digestion. Plants bushy and grow to 12". (Pkt. 25c) (½ oz. \$1.00) (oz. \$1.85)

GROW MUSHROOMS For Pleasure And Profit MUSHROOM SPAWN

Our pure culture Spawn has numerous points of superiority over the old types, is more vigorous, more resistant to adverse conditions and more repellent to insects than other types. It is without doubt the most dependable produced. One 2-oz. package will plant 8 to 10 sq. ft. Instructions for growing included with every shipment. **28** (Pkt. 50c) (3 Pkts. \$1.35)



CRESS

Gives Distinction
To A Salad

ANNUAL CRESS

UPLAND (Pepper Grass). Grows rapidly, being ready for use in 30 to 40 days after seed is planted. Fine for salads, garnishing and as a green in sandwiches. Has an agreeable pungent taste. (Pkt. 15c) (oz. 45c) (¼ lb. \$1.00) (lb. \$2.25)

PERENNIAL CRESS

WATER CRESS, 50 days. A hardy plant which will thrive well only when the roots are submerged in water. Can be easily grown in springs or along the edges of shallow running streams. One of the most delicious of all small salad plants. (Pkt. 25c) (½ oz. 80c) (oz. \$1.40) (¼ lb. \$3.75)

COLLARDS

Non-Heading
Cabbage

GEORGIA. 75 days. A form of looseheaded cabbage that succeeds in locations where other cabbages cannot be grown to perfection. In the South it continues to grow all winter. 1 oz. makes 3000 plants. (Pkt. 15c) (oz. 35c) (¼ lb. 65c) (lb. \$1.50)

TOBACCO

Easy to Grow Your Own
One oz. for 5,000 plants

FINE HAVANA. Extra select strain; large leaf; one of the earliest. The leading all-purpose variety for the Northern states. Easily grown. (Pkt. 25c) (½ oz. 85c) (oz. \$1.50)

"Variety is the Spice of Life" . . .

Novelties

They're Different, Interesting and Useful

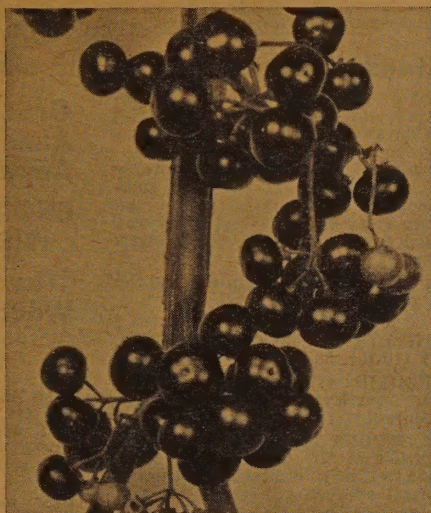
Here on this page are 7 of the most unusual vegetables. For lack of a better word, we call them Novelties. All of them are different, interesting and useful; and all are delicious eating in their own way (except Snake Cucumber). Every one has a place in the garden. Plant a few, or even all of them. Surprise the Neighbors.

Burgess'

GARDEN HUCKLEBERRY

Large Fruit—Very Prolific

Although not good for eating fresh, the Garden Huckleberry rivals the common Huckleberry or Blueberry for making superb pies and preserves. It can also be quick-frozen or canned for future use. Garden Huckleberry grows and thrives in all climates and yields an immense crop of fruit. You will be delighted and astonished with this easily-grown, useful novelty. Directions for making pies and preserves supplied with each order. (Pkt. 25c) (Jumbo Pkt. 60c) (½ Oz. 75c) (Oz. \$1.35) (¼ lb. \$3.50)



VEGETABLE SPAGHETTI

Spaghetti on a Vine in Nature's Own Package

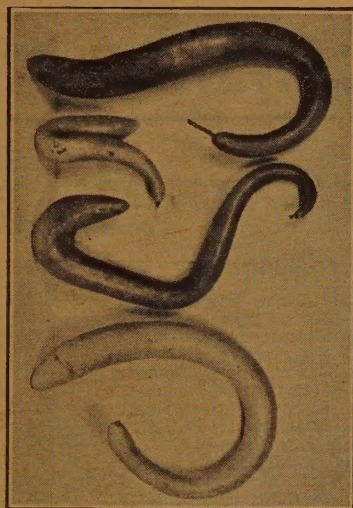
This interesting novelty is a delicious vegetable originally from Asia. The flesh of the fruit is a spiral of spaghetti-like pulp and when cooked and seasoned it is delicious served hot or cold. Can also be served hot with catsup or tomato sauce or served cold as a salad, with mayonnaise or French dressing. When fully ripe the rind of the fruit is a deep golden-yellow 8 to 10" long. At this stage it is ready for cooking. Cook whole (without cutting or peeling) 30 minutes in boiling water, cut in half, remove seeds from center and with a fork, pull the spaghetti-like pulp from the shell. It is then ready to season and serve. This vegetable is also delicious fried like egg plant when young. It makes a vine and thrives on any soil. Fruits can be stored for early winter use. This remarkable vegetable is most valuable as well as a novelty. (Pkt. 25c) (Oz. 70c) (¼ lb. \$1.50) prepaid.



NEW GUINEA BUTTER VINE

The "Jack and the Beanstalk" Bean

Grows to enormous size, one fruit often weighing 15 lbs. and from 3 to 5' long. It is similar to squash in growth, though more productive, and can be grown in the same manner or trellised up. The vines are always free from disease and insect pests, and stand neglect and abuse. The fruits should be eaten when small, while the fuzz is still on them. Cook like Squash or fry like Egg Plant. When cut up in small pieces and cooked with cream or fried it is most delicious. When larger, they can be stuffed with meat and baked. "You should recommend as an ornamental vine. The blooms rival Japanese Iris, which they resemble, and bloom at a different season. They are night bloomers, too," writes one customer. (Pkt. 25c) (Oz. 75c) (¼ lb. 1.75)



SAKURAJIMA RADISH

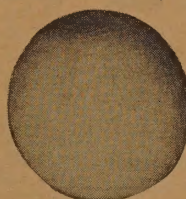
Grows to Unbelievable Size

The largest variety of Radish grown. Often attains a weight of 15 lbs. or more. A great curiosity, but still a radish of extraordinary quality. It is nearly round, with solid, firm and brittle flesh and a most excellent flavor. A favorite for Fall and Winter use as it keeps well in storage. Also makes a valuable winter feed for poultry and cattle. (Pkt. 25c) (Oz. 75c) (¼ lb. \$1.50) prepaid.

VINE PEACH

The "MANGO" Melon

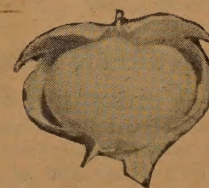
Delicious preserves and marmalade are made from this unusual and fine variety. The fruit is about the size of a large peach and can be used in every way in which a peach can be used, except that it is not usually liked raw. Vine Peach makes a vine and is easily-grown in any garden. Directions for making preserves supplied with each order. (Pkt. 25c) (Jumbo Pkt. 60c) (½ Oz. 75c) (Oz. \$1.30) prepaid.



FREE - FREE - FREE - FREE NOVELTY KITCHEN RECIPES

With each order for Novelty Vegetables on this page, we will send FREE a leaflet containing recipes for the following and others: Grandma Keagle's Garden Huckleberry Pie, Vine Peach Pickles and Preserves, Ground Cherry Pie, Hawaiian Poha Berry Jam, Vegetable Spaghetti. It also tells how to use New Guinea Butter Vine and how to sprout and use the Chinese Salad or Mung Bean.

GROUND CHERRY



**FOR
POHA
BERRY
JAM**

Make your own Hawaiian POHA BERRY Jam. You will be amazed with the fine eating qualities of this wonderful fruit for Poha Jam and other preserves. Ground Cherry belongs to the tomato family and is grown in the same manner. The small yellow fruits are borne in husks. They are sweet and delicious when raw or can be dried to sugar-sweet raisins. If stored in a cool place they will keep well into the winter. Directions for making Poha Berry Jam supplied with each order. (Pkt. 25c) (Jumbo Pkt. 60c) (½ Oz. 75c) (Oz. \$1.35) (¼ lb. \$3.50)

NOVELTY VEGETABLE COLLECTION

One (1) Packet each of the seven (7) Novelty Vegetables on this page.

All 7 only \$1.50 prepaid



SERPENT or SNAKE CUCUMBER

This novel Cucumber resembles a green snake. The long, slim fruits coil into most realistic serpent-like shapes. They are usually 2 to 3' in length, sometimes attaining a length of 5'. Note the 1 foot ruler showing six of them to show the comparative size. Fruits of this variety are not as good eating as regular cucumbers and are usually grown as a curiosity only. (Pkt. 30c) (Jumbo Pkt. 75c) (Oz. \$1.00) prepaid.

Burgess Seed & Plant Co., Galesburg, Michigan

WHITE PROSO

The Most Profitable Catch Crop. Matures in 60 Days

Can Be Planted Later and Will Stand
More Dry Weather Than Any Other Grain

This white Proso was introduced from Siberia and after many tests has proven to be one of the most dependable and profitable farm crops. It will grow almost anywhere, North, South, East or West, in wet or dry weather, and on all kinds of soil. In 1933, when thousands of acres of grain were burned up by the extreme drought, this strain of Proso saved the day. Many farmers would have grown no winter feed at all had it not been for this wonderful grain. Though it does best when sown in June, it may be sown as late as July 15th and still mature a good crop. It produces as high as 70 bushels to the acre, of grain weighing 50 to 60 pounds per bushel.

Northwest Turkey Growers Prefer Proso

Proso makes a splendid feed when fed whole or ground, for all kinds of live stock and poultry. Farmers claim it will fatten hogs or cattle better than corn and that chickens lay better when fed Proso, and prefer it to other grains or mash. Proso makes a splendid mash when ground alone. When fed to poultry with corn or oats the ratio should be four parts Proso to one part other grain.

Feed Without Threshing

It may be fed without threshing as the kernels are readily removed by chickens and eaten with the hay by other stock, or it may be fed as clean grain from the thresher or combine. Its forage in any stage of growth, or as hay, is not at any time injurious to live stock. Proso straw, which usually remains somewhat green, even though the grain is ripe, makes a good hay for winter feeding. The large turkey growers of the Northwest rely on Proso as one of their chief feed crops.

Seed Round and White

The seed of this Proso is round and larger than millet seed, growing in a sprangly head resembling oats. The inner color of the grain is pure white and should not be confused with the colored Prosos or so-called hog-milletts. This Proso has been selected for its white color, larger kernels and greater productiveness.

Withstands Drought

Proso is unlike any other grain because of its extreme drought resistance, together with the fact that it takes only 60 to 65 days to mature a crop of this variety, and needs only one good rain to produce a crop. It may be planted on high, dry soil that is not suitable for other grains. It is especially valuable as a summer catch crop, something that may be planted on land which has had an early crop removed or ground that has been drowned out and not in shape to work until late in the season.

Proso can be sown with a regular grain drill at the rate of 25 to 35 lbs. per acre.

PRICES (Pkt. 15c) (½ lb. 30c) (Lb. 50c) (5 lbs. \$2.00) (10 lbs. \$3.00) all prepaid.

EXPRESS NOT PREPAID: (25 lbs. \$2.75) (50 lbs. \$4.50). Be sure to give your Express address if different than your mail address.

MOTOR OR RAIL FREIGHT NOT PREPAID: (100 lbs. \$7.25) (In quantities of 500 lbs. or more \$7.00 per 100 lbs.). Be sure to give your Freight address if different from your mail address.

Express on 100 lbs. or more is a lot more expensive than Freight. We, however, will ship by Express if you request it. Otherwise 100 lbs. or more will be shipped by Freight. To be sure of your costs, it is best to check with your Freight and Express Agents before ordering.

Ideal Feed for Poultry, Hogs, Cattle and Sheep. May Be Fed without Threshing. Equal to Corn in Food Value. High in Vitamin A.

Grows
Almost
Anywhere

**ENORMOUS
YIELDS**

**"The Dryland
Wonder Grain"**

NOTICE

If your freight or express address is different than your mail address, be sure to supply us with both, and state how you want shipment made. Express is quite expensive over long distances but is much faster. Freight is slow, so ample time should be allowed for delivery. Sorry, no C.O.D. shipments from this catalog. Cash with order, please.



LAWN SEED — All Hormone-Treated

Germinates Quicker
Withstands Drought
More Beautiful Lawn

Those who want the finest lawn must sow the finest seed. Those who sow Burgess' Lawn Grass, sowing the best obtainable, and when such high quality seed is Hormone-treated, the results are simply amazing. Science has proven that Hormone-treated Grass Seed germinates quicker and produces a soft, luxuriant turf that is deeper rooted and better able to withstand drought.

We use no timothy or clover in our mixtures. Avoid lawn mixtures which contain timothy. Timothy is a hay seed and produces coarse stems which ruin the lawn. It is used in cheap mixtures on account of its low price.

BURGESS' EVERGREEN LAWN MIXTURE

Burgess' Famous EVERGREEN LAWN MIXTURE is composed of the finest lawn grasses it is possible to blend into any mixture. Because it is the best, it will go further and in the end will be the most economical, too. Only high germinating seed used, and free from chaff and weeds. Seed is of such high quality that one pound will sow 275 square feet of new lawn, 400 to 600 square feet for reseeded lawns.

PRICES: (Lb. \$1.25) (3 lbs. \$3.30) (5 lbs. \$5.00) (10 lbs. or more at 90c per lb.) all prepaid.

BURGESS' SHADY NOOK LAWN MIXTURE

On nearly every lawn are unsightly spots under trees, where grass does not do well. Our Shady Nook Mixture contains grasses which naturally grow in shady places. Seed is of such high quality that one pound will sow 275 square feet of new lawn, 400 to 600 square feet of reseeded lawn.

PRICES: (Lb. \$1.30) (3 lbs. \$3.45) (5 lbs. \$5.25) (10 lbs. or more at 95c per lb.) all prepaid.

MERION—Kentucky Bluegrass

No new grass has ever captured the imagination and respect of gardeners like Merion Bluegrass. It is unquestionably the most important development in grass of the century. It not only stays green in hottest weather, but it wears better, covers better to help prevent germination of crabgrass, and it stands closer mowing. It is also darker green. Although it is more expensive, it is worth it, since about ⅓ as much seed is needed for sowing. Sow 750 sq. ft. to the pound for new lawns. Some prefer sowing ¼ lb. of Rye Grass with each pound of Merion for a nurse crop. We, however, recommend sowing straight Merion for the finest lawn.

PRICES: (½ lb. \$1.35) (Lb. \$2.30) (3 lbs. \$6.30) (5 lbs. \$10.00) (10 lbs. or more at \$1.90 per lb.) all prepaid.

PARK—Kentucky Bluegrass

A new EXTRA HARDY STRAIN of Kentucky Bluegrass that will withstand the most severe winters. It was developed by the University of Minnesota. PARK is easier to establish, as it has more seedling vigor than other strains. It will produce a handsome, well established turf the first season. One pound will sow 500 sq. ft. (½ lb. \$1.00) (Lb. \$1.70) (3 lbs. \$4.50) (5 lbs. \$7.00) (10 lbs. or more at \$1.30 per lb.)

HIGHLAND BENT GRASS

This is the most popular grass for golf courses and it is gaining in favor as a lawn grass. It makes a soft, beautiful lawn, and a sod that is wonderful for terraces. Rain cannot wash tiny ditches in your terrace; neither will your sidewalks or driveways be covered with dirt if you use Bent Grass. Our Highland Bent is the best obtainable, and we consider that we are fortunate in being able to supply our customers with a superior quality of this fine grass. Sow 1 lb. to 400 square feet.

PRICES: (Lb. \$1.35) (3 lbs. \$3.60) (5 lbs. \$5.50) (10 lbs. or more at \$1.00 per lb.) all prepaid.



Treated plant has close to three times the root strength of untreated one.

WHITE CLOVER

We have an Extra Fancy Dwarf White Clover that is especially fine for sowing with lawn grass mixtures. For this purpose we recommend 1 oz. to each pound of grass seed. Our Hormone-Treated seed produces more than twice the usual root system in 9 weeks after planting.

PRICES: (¼ lb. 50c) (½ lb. 85c) (Lb. \$1.55) (3 lbs. \$4.35) (5 lbs. \$6.75) (10 lbs. or more at \$1.25 per lb.) prepaid.

RYE GRASS

For a quick crop of grass, or for a nurse crop for permanent grasses, our annual Rye Grass cannot be beat. Under good conditions it will make a showing in one week. In the Southern States, Rye Grass is extensively used as an annual lawn where it is seeded each year.

PRICES: (½ lb. 30c) (Lb. 55c) (3 lbs. \$1.35) (5 lbs. \$2.00) (10 lbs. or more at 33c per lb.) all prepaid.

HARDY FIELD-GROWN VEGETABLE PLANTS FOR EARLIEST GARDEN PLANTING

These strong, thrifty plants are grown in the open field in the South, where the climate conditions are just suited for growing tough, hardy vegetable plants during the winter and early spring. The plants make a slow but steady growth until they are in a toughened condition and are ready to be shipped to territory farther North for planting earlier than hotbed or coldframe plants.



HARDY ONION PLANTS

**Earlier Onions
Highest Market Prices**

Our hardy Onion plants will give you green Onions in three weeks, and large, matured onions about two weeks earlier than can be had from sets. We can supply the following varieties:

**CRYSTAL WAX
WHITE SWEET SPANISH
YELLOW SWEET SPANISH
YELLOW BERMUDA**

Onion plants come in bunches of uniform size and will vary from 75 to 100 plants, depending on plant size at the time they are dug.

ONION PLANT PRICES: (1 bunch for 90c) (2 bunches for \$1.45) (5 bunches for \$2.90) (10 bunches for \$4.90) (20 bunches for \$7.95) postpaid.

SHIPPING DATES

"Frost-Proof" BROCCOLI, CABBAGE, CAULIFLOWER, and ONION Plants are hardy and are shipped early. Available from January 1 to June 1.

Tender vegetable plants: EGG PLANT, PEPPERS, SWEET POTATOES and TOMATOES are shipped after danger of frost. Available from April 1 to June 1.

Please specify your preferred delivery date. If no date is specified plants will be shipped when we think it is safe to set them out. All plants on this page mailed direct to you from our Texas Growing Station.

Commercial Growers Write for Prices in Larger Quantities

"All Seasons" Cabbage Collection

For the home gardener who has space for only a few Cabbage plants we offer this special "All Seasons" Collection consisting of 50 Plants—10 each of the 5 varieties listed above. Set plants all at one time as early as you can plant them and harvest Cabbages all season long from early summer until frost.

"All Seasons" Cabbage Collection only \$1.25 postpaid.

"Frost-Proof" CABBAGE PLANTS

Mature 2 to 3 Weeks Earlier

Our "Frost-Proof" plants will stand a temperature of 20° above zero and can be planted a month earlier than home-grown plants. We can supply the following varieties:

**COPENHAGEN MARKET
DANISH BALLHEAD
EARLIEST ROUND RED
GOLDEN ACRE
LIGHTNING EXPRESS**

CABBAGE PLANT PRICES: (25 for 70c) (50 for \$1.00) (100 for \$1.50) (200 for \$2.50) (500 for \$3.95) (1,000 for \$6.75) (2,000 for \$11.95) postpaid.



Set
"Frost-Proof"
Cabbage Plants
as Early as You
Can Prepare the
Ground.

"Frost-Proof"
Cabbage Plants
Withstand Snow,
Frost and Sleet
and Mature Far
Ahead of Green-
house Plants

PLEASE NOTE!

Because our plants are **FIELD-GROWN** instead of Greenhouse-grown, they might and often do appear rough, with leaves sometimes brown (even dropping off). **DO NOT BE ALARMED!** This is the nature of field-grown plants, as they have been toughened outdoors.



Field Grown TOMATO PLANTS Plant Them Earlier

Our properly "hardened" Tomato plants can be set out earlier than greenhouse-grown or home-grown plants. Your choice of the following varieties:

Mammoth Wonder **Crackproof**
Rutgers **Early Wonder**

TOMATO PRICES: (12 for 75c) (25 for \$1.20) (50 for \$1.95) (100 for \$2.95) (200 for \$3.90) (500 for \$7.20) (1,000 for \$10.80) (2,000 for \$20.50).

Burgess' HYBRID "A"

Burgess famous F1 Hybrid "A" Tomato. For description see page 7.

PRICES: (12 for \$1.35) (25 for \$2.20) (50 for \$3.75) (100 for \$6.50) postpaid.

SWEET POTATO PLANTS



**Easy to Grow
Early Maturing
Varieties
for the North**



Sweet Potatoes are easy to grow in the home garden, even in the North. Set plants after danger of frost.

ALL GOLD. One of the finest Sweet Potatoes we have ever tried. Brown skin, with golden-yellow flesh, medium dry and excellent flavor. Very high in Vitamin A. All Gold keeps for us in a cool basement room all winter.

PORTO RICO. The standard market Porto Rico Yam. A popular, high-yielding, orange-fleshed variety that is too well known to require description.

PRICES FOR ABOVE VARIETIES: (25 for \$1.00) (50 for \$1.60) (100 for \$2.25) (200 for \$3.50) (500 for \$6.50) (1,000 for \$9.50) (2,000 for \$18.00).

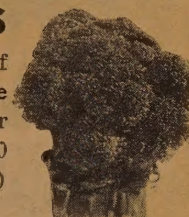
BUSH SWEET POTATO

Especially recommended for the home garden as it does not cover the ground with a mass of vines but grows with only a 2 ft. spread. Similar to Porto Rico in quality but a little smaller and much sweeter.

PRICES for Bush Sweet Potatoes: (25 plants for \$1.25) (50 plants for \$2.25) (100 plants for \$3.25) (200 plants for \$4.75) (500 plants for \$8.00) (1,000 plants for \$15.00).

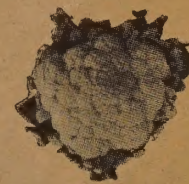
BROCCOLI PLANTS

We can furnish plants of Green Sprouting Calabrese only. (25 for 80c) (50 for \$1.20) (100 for \$1.70) (200 for \$2.80) (500 for \$3.95) (1,000 for \$6.95).



CAULIFLOWER

We can furnish plants of Early Snowball Cauliflower only. (25 for 80c) (50 for \$1.20) (100 for \$1.70) (200 for \$2.80) (500 for \$3.95) (1,000 for \$6.95) postpaid.



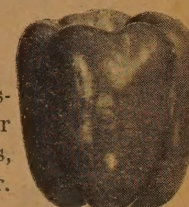
EGG PLANT

We can furnish plants of Black Beauty Egg Plant only. (12 for 75c) (25 for \$1.20) (50 for \$1.95) (100 for \$2.95) (200 for \$3.90) (500 for \$7.20) (1,000 for \$10.80) (2,000 for \$20.50).



PEPPER PLANTS

You will find it a lot easier and safer to plant our "hardened" Pepper plants, and you can plant earlier.



Your choice of California Wonder, Hungarian Yellow and King Of The North.

PEPPER PLANT PRICES: (25 for \$1.00) (50 for \$1.60) (100 for \$2.70) (200 for \$3.70) (500 for \$5.95) (1,000 for \$8.95).

TRIP-L-CROP CLIMBING TOMATO

Get an earlier start with field grown plants of Burgess Trip-L-Crop, the original Climbing Tomato. (12 for \$1.25) (25 for \$2.00).



Jerusalem Artichoke

A DELICIOUS
VEGETABLE

Artichoke

And Valuable Diet Food

The Jerusalem Artichoke produces a tuber that grows in the ground like a potato and will thrive anywhere in the United States that other crop plants will.

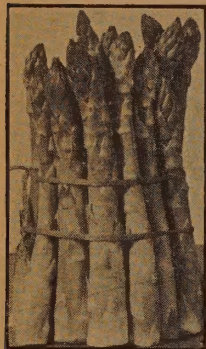
A valuable vegetable for diabetics and others who require a non-starch diet. Instead of the normal starches, the Jerusalem Artichoke contains inulin and levulin, carbohydrates that are not converted into sugar in the body. The Jerusalem Artichoke was recognized as a diabetic food long before the discovery of insulin. The tubers are high in vitamins and minerals but low in calories.

As a table vegetable, the tubers can be baked or boiled, like a potato, or creamed, like any other fresh vegetable. The raw tubers have a delicious, nut-like flavor and are extremely popular as a salad vegetable, with or without a diet. They are winter hardy and can be dug fresh from maturity in the fall until late in the spring, or stored for winter use.

Besides being an excellent garden vegetable, the Jerusalem Artichoke is a valuable stock food. While the tops produce an excellent, high-yielding forage or silage crop, its greatest value is realized as a fall and spring rooting crop for hogs.

If you have a vegetable garden, be sure to plant a few Jerusalem Artichokes this spring and farmers will do well to try them for stock feed.

Prices of Jerusalem Artichoke tubers: (2 lbs. \$2.00) (5 lbs. \$3.50) (10 lbs. \$4.95) postpaid. (25 lbs. \$10.00) (50 lbs. \$15.00) (100 lbs. \$25.00) prepaid Express. Available April 1st to June 15th.



ASPARAGUS PLANTS

We supply choice 1-Yr.-old Asparagus plants which are most satisfactory for transplanting. They should be set 18" apart.

MARY WASHINGTON (Rust-Resistant). (25 for \$1.45) (50 for \$2.50) (100 for \$4.50) (250 for \$10.00)

PARADISE (Rust-Resistant). Similar to above but earlier, more productive and larger. (25 for \$1.55) (50 for \$2.75) (100 for \$5.00) (250 for \$11.00)

HORSE RADISH

BOHEMIAN GIANT. An improved, mammoth-rooted variety of excellent quality. Piece-roots planted this spring will make good roots by fall. Set them vertically, with the small end down and the large end 2 to 3" below the soil surface. (6 for \$1.00) (12 for \$1.85)

CANADA RED RHUBARB

Best Of All Red Rhubarbs

Solid red clear through. Extremely tender and intensely red—even the inside of the stalk is red clear through. When cooked or canned it is as red as strawberry sauce. Mild and delicious, requiring a minimum quantity of sugar. (\$1.00 each) (3 for \$2.70) (6 for \$5.10) (12 for \$9.60) postpaid.



Canada Red Rhubarb

VICTORIA RHUBARB

For many years the standard garden and commercial variety and still popular. (3 for \$1.00) (6 for \$1.85) (12 for \$3.50) postpaid.

ANNUAL FLOWER SEED

We list on this and the next six pages the choicest stocks and strains of **ANNUAL FLOWER SEED** obtainable. There is a difference in seeds. Our quality is tops, as indicated by the thousands of customers who continue to plant Burgess' seed year after year.



ALYSSUM

ROYAL CARPET. (See photo above). In drifts of vibrant lavender like a tropical sea or as a neat and well-behaved edging for the flower bed, this delightful All-America Winner Alyssum will find a place in every garden. It grows to only 4" tall and covers a circle of 12". Who can be without it! (Pkt. 25c) (Jumbo Pkt. 60c) (¼ oz. \$1.00)

LITTLE GEM. This ever popular, fragrant Sweet Alyssum is a perfect "carpet of snow" which blooms from spring to frost, its white blooms borne on 4" plants. (Pkt. 25c) (¼ oz. 50c) (oz. \$1.25)

AFRICAN DAISY

Dimorphotheca

Dwarf Glistening White. Gorgeous white daisy-like flowers 4" across. They are borne freely on low spreading plants that are only 6 to 8" high. Blooms early and continues throughout the season. One of the finest edging plants. (Pkt. 25c) (Jumbo Pkt. 60c) (¼ oz. \$1.25)

AMARANTHUS

The Summer Poinsettia or Rainbow Plant

A beautiful foliage plant for background and group planting. The head of the plant is bright carmine shading to yellow and bronze-green. Thrives best in sunny locations. 3'. (Pkt. 25c) (¼ oz. 65c) (oz. \$1.80)

BACHELOR BUTTONS

Centaurea cyanus. Double. This long-stemmed strain grows 2½' tall. If the 2½ to 3" extra-double flowers are kept picked, they will continue to bloom throughout the summer. One of the best cut flowers. A fine mixture of blue, red, pink and white. (Pkt. 20c) (¼ oz. 45c) (oz. \$1.00)



AGERATUM

MIDGET BLUE. Uniformly dwarf, dense, spreading plants 3 to 4" high and 12 to 15" in width, and almost smothered with clear azure-blue flowers. Superb for edging beds, or for borders or the rock garden. Easily grown, and makes a nice little pot plant. (Pkt. 25c) (Jumbo Pkt. 60c) (¼ oz. \$1.00)



BALSAM DOUBLE BUSH

The Lovely Lady Slippers
The bushes grow 15" tall and covered with clusters of rose-like flowers on the tips of the stems. They are very colorful in borders and beds and come in a mixture of scarlet, rose and white. (Pkt. 25c) (¼ oz. 90c) (oz. \$2.25)

BALSAM

Camellia-Flowered

Colorful 2" camellia-like flowers produced in great profusion in the axils of the leaves. The plants grow to 2½'. A mixture of scarlet, pink, lilac and white. (Pkt. 20c) (¼ oz. 50c) (oz. \$1.25)

BELLS of IRELAND

An unusual novelty plant that is exceptionally fine for flower arrangements when fresh, or dried for winter decoration. The bell-shaped flowers are closely grouped on 2' stems. Bells and foliage are a light apple green. (Pkt. 25c) (Jumbo Pkt. 60c) (¼ oz. \$1.00)

ANNUALS EASY TO GROW

Most of the annual flowers are more colorful than perennials and their beauty can be enjoyed all summer long with only a small amount of work. While the majority of them can be direct seeded, a longer season of enjoyment can be had by starting them inside early. We recommend the use of aluminum starting trays and "Nodampoff" Moss for this purpose. You will find both on page 42.

CALENDULA—Scotch or Pot Marigold

Often called Scotch or Pot Marigold, Calendulas are popular, indispensable annuals which can always be relied upon to furnish cut flowers and continuous bloom from May until frost in the north—practically all year in the South. Our superb mixture contains the finest, newest strains with long, straight stems ideal for cutting and big well-formed flowers in clear bright yellow, golden-yellow, orange and orange-red, some with lacinated petals. Order the **SPECIAL CALENDULA MIXTURE**. (Pkt. 20c) (¼ oz. 50c) (oz. \$1.25)



Annual Candytuft

One of the most popular low annuals for bedding, borders and cutting. Sown in April, it will flower in June. A fine mixture of white, pink, lilac and red. (Pkt. 20c) (¼ oz. 45c) (oz. \$1.00)

Cardinal Climber

A fast-growing annual which climbs to 15' in a season. Beautiful fern-like foliage ablaze with fiery, cardinal-red, 1½" flowers from mid-summer until frost. (Pkt. 25c) (¼ oz. 75c) (oz. \$1.85)

DOUBLE CLARKIA

Blooming like a flowering almond, this easily grown annual does well in poor soil, either sun or shade. Grows 2 to 3' with beautiful double flowers. A fine mixture of colors from pure white, flesh pink, bright pink, rose and salmon to orange, orange-scarlet, etc. (Pkt. 20c) (¼ oz. 55c) (oz. \$1.50).



SUPER GIANT—Largest of All

These giant Asters are really spectacular in the garden and as cut flowers. Plants grow up to 3' tall with long wiry stems from the base. The 6 to 7" blooms are fully double with curled and interlaced petals resembling ostrich feathers.

EL MONTE. Huge flowers of deep, glowing crimson. (Pkt. 25c)

LOS ANGELES. Large blossoms of soft pink. (Pkt. 25c)

BEVERLY HILLS. Big azure-blue flowers. (Pkt. 25c)

HOLLYWOOD. Giant blooms of lovely, pure white. (Pkt. 25c)

MIXED. Mixture of above and other Super Giant varieties. (Pkt. 25c) (Jumbo Pkt. 60c) (½ oz. \$1.00) (¼ oz. \$1.75)

OUR ASTERS ARE ALL WILT RESISTANT

POWDERPUFFS ASTER

Something different in Asters. All the flowers on top and so thick they completely hide the foliage. Plants grow upright to 24" and have only a 12" spread. Blooms 3 to 3½" across and are fully double. A fine mixture of crimson, scarlet, pink, rose, blue and white. (Pkt. 25c) (Jumbo Pkt. 60c) (¼ oz. \$1.25) (oz. \$3.50)

PRINCESS ASTER

The brilliant 3 to 3½" flowers on long stems have crested centers that remain full when the several rows of encircling petals are fully open. Florists praise it for cutting and its long-keeping qualities. Has the delicate colors like orchid, pink, rose, yellow and blue. In mixture only. (Pkt. 25c) (½ oz. 80c) (¼ oz. \$1.30)

QUEEN OF MARKET ASTER

The standard EARLY Aster. It is superb for bedding and cutting. Plants 20" high and branch freely from close to the ground. The 3" blooms are fully double in a well balanced mixture of all the Aster colors. (Pkt. 20c) (¼ oz. 75c) (oz. \$2.00)

Burgess' Special ASTER MIXTURE

This is not an ordinary Aster mixture. It is a well-balanced formula blend of all the varieties described on this page. The Mixture is also carefully balanced to include all the colors. (Pkt. 25c) (Jumbo Pkt. 60c) (½ oz. 85c) (¼ oz. \$1.40)

ORNAMENTAL VINE MIXTURE

A "prize-package" assortment of fast-growing annual climbers for covering porches, trellises, arbors, fences, stumps, etc., with foliage and bright flowers. Useful for carpeting terraces or banks and on rock piles. (Pkt. 30c) (½ oz. 80c) (oz. \$1.50)



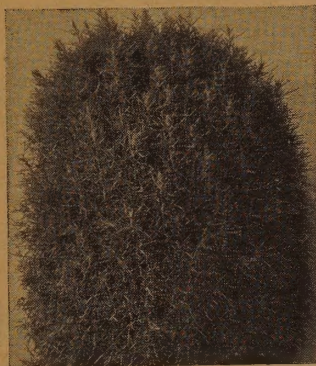
Burgess' Giant Annual CARNATIONS Delightful Fragrance

These are deservedly the most popular Carnations with the amateur, as they begin flowering earlier than any other variety. Sown early, the plants will bloom during the late summer and early fall, and by repeated sowings they may be had in bloom all winter indoors. A fine mixture of colors, including red, pink, yellow and white. (Pkt. 25c) (Jumbo Pkt. 60c) (¼ oz. 95c) (oz. \$2.50)



ANNUAL CHRYSANTHEMUM

MERRY MIXTURE. One of the most brilliant of the summer blooming annuals, and very easy to grow. Quite distinct from the autumn-flowering Chrysanthemums, they come in attractive bright colors that range from brightest scarlet, through purple, orange, salmon, yellow and white. Large single blooms 2 to 3" across on 2' plants. (Pkt. 20c) (¼ oz. 65c) (oz. \$1.80)



KOCHIA

Burning Bush or Summer Cypress

Here is an annual that actually looks like an evergreen, and makes one of the finest hedges. The symmetrical oval plants grow 3' tall and its light green foliage turns fiery red in the fall. (Pkt. 20c) (Jumbo Pkt. 50c) (oz. 75c) (¼ lb. \$2.00)

CUT FLOWER MIXTURE

Our popular mixture of brightly colored, easily grown, freely blooming annuals furnishes a variety of flowers for cutting from early summer until frost. (Pkt. 25c) (½ oz. 60c) (oz. \$1.00)



ANNUAL CINERARIA

Brachycome Iberidifolia. Free flowering, easily grown annual 10" high, covered with dainty flowers in blue, purple, rosy-lilac and white with dark eyes. Also called Swan River Daisy. For edgings, massing in small beds or pot culture. Blooms most of summer and resembles the florists' Cineraria. (Pkt. 25c) (½ oz. 70c) (¼ oz. \$1.10)

CLEOME (Spider Plant) PINK QUEEN

This finest of all Cleomes is 3' tall with great, salmon-pink panicles of bloom. Plants from seed sown in open ground in May blossom from July to frost. Good for backgrounds and makes a fine hedge. (Pkt. 25c) (¼ oz. 65c) (oz. \$1.80)

COBAEA SCANDENS

Cathedral Bells. A rapid growing annual vine that will cling to any rough surface. The large bell-shaped flowers are first green, then turn a beautiful lilac-purple. It attains a height of 30". (Pkt. 25c) (¼ oz. 70c) (1 oz. \$1.85)

EVENING SCENTED STOCKS

Mathiola Bicornis. Called the Perfume Plant, no other annual, even Mignonette, surpasses it for delicate fragrance. Purplish-lilac blossoms are partially closed during the day, but expand and produce their fragrance in the evening. Grows to 18". (Pkt. 20c) (¼ oz. 55c) (oz. \$1.50)

EVERLASTINGS for Winter Bouquets

You don't need a greenhouse to have cut flowers during the winter. Sow these easily grown Everlastings outdoors in spring, cut the flowers at the peak of their beauty, tie them in small bunches and hang them heads down in a dry place until needed for winter bouquets. Our popular mixture of the best kinds. (Pkt. 25c) (¼ oz. 65c) (oz. \$1.80)

ANNUAL GAILLARDIA

They are colorful as a Navajo Indian blanket. Long stems for cutting. Quite free-flowering from early summer until late fall. Mixture of double and single flowers in the brightest colors. Grows to 20". (Pkt. 20c) (¼ oz. 55c) (oz. \$1.50)

GODETIA (Satin Flower)

DOUBLE MIXED. Bushy plants with masses of large, colorful blossoms during summer and fall. Good for shady spots. Large double flowers in rose, pink, scarlet, lavender, white and combinations. (Pkt. 25c) (¼ oz. 65c) (oz. \$1.80)

JOB'S TEARS (Ornamental Grass)

A decorative and ornamental grass bearing clusters of large seed. Often used for making beads and other ornaments. Grows to 3'. (Pkt. 20c) (oz. 90c)



COSMOS

EXTRA EARLY SENSATION. (See Photo.) Giant single flowers 4 to 6" across, and blooms fully two weeks before the regular strain. The long strong stems are fine for cutting. Makes a colorful background plant 4' high. A well-balanced mixture of crimson, pink, white and rose overlaid with crimson toward the center. (Pkt. 20c) (¼ oz. 55c) (oz. \$1.50)



CELOSIA

Dwarf Feathered

LILLIPUT. The free-blooming plants are well-branched and each one tipped with a brilliant feathery plume. Plants 12" high and are fine for pots, window boxes or beds. Also useful dried for winter bouquets. Comes in a mixture of glowing scarlet and bright yellow. (Pkt. 25c) (¼ oz. 95c) (oz. \$2.50)

DWARF COCKSCOMB

EMPRESS. This bright crimson free-blooming popular species has cockscomb shaped heads and does well in light soils that are not very rich. Makes a delightful cut flower; keeps borders colorful all summer. Good for pots, too, and lasts a long time dried for winter bouquets. 12" tall. (Pkt. 25c) (¼ oz. 90c) (oz. \$2.25)

FOREST FIRE Improved

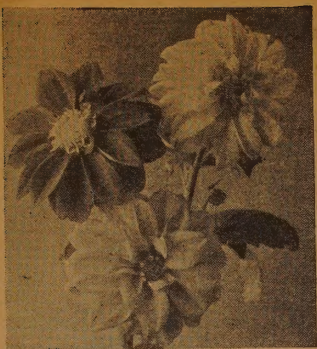
This dazzling orange-scarlet plumed type is the brightest of all Celosia. Plumes are so numerous they completely cover the plant. Makes an ideal border and is fine for pot culture. Grows only 18" tall and continues to bloom through the season. (Pkt. 35c) (½ oz. 85c) (¼ oz. \$1.40) (oz. \$4.00)

PAMPAS PLUME

Large feathery flowers in a mixture of brilliant bronze, copper, gold, red, deep crimson and scarlet colors. Grows 2½' tall and is ideal for display beds, backgrounds, and cut flowers. Makes wonderful dried flowers for winter bouquets. (Pkt. 25c) (¼ oz. 95c) (oz. \$2.50)

FOUR O'CLOCK

A mixture of white, pink, yellow, crimson and violet fragrant flowers with glossy foliage. Flowers open in the afternoon. Make a nice low hedge. Grows to 2'. (Pkt. 20c) (oz. 60c) (¼ lb. \$1.50)



DAHLIAS

UNWIN'S DWARF BEDDING. (Above). As easily grown as Zinnias. If planted in the open ground after danger of frost, they will bloom in mid-summer and continue until frost. The plants grow to 18" and are fine for borders and beds as well as for cut flowers. The semi-double blooms are 3" across and come in a fine mixture of shades of crimson, pink, buff, lavender, orange, cream, yellow and white. (Pkt. 25c) (Jumbo Pkt. 60c) (¼ oz. 95c) (oz. \$2.50)

BURGESS SPECIAL DAHLIA MIXTURE. A select mixture saved from Double Decorative, Exhibition and Cactus-Flowered types in an assortment of the best colors. This type should be started indoors and set out after danger from frost. New varieties are produced from seed and the ones you like can be saved by digging the tubers in the fall and storing until the following spring. (Pkt. 50c) (Jumbo Pkt. \$1.25) (¼ oz. \$2.25)



MISSION GIANTS

This distinct type has 4 to 5" round fluffy fully double blooms that resemble mammoth 'mums'. The plants grow into a perfect mound only 18" high and are covered with a solid mass of blooms. A well-balanced mixture of golden-yellow, sulphur-yellow and golden-orange. If you like Marigolds, you are sure to like this one. (Pkt. 25c) (Jumbo Pkt. 60c) (¼ oz. \$1.00) (oz. \$3.00)



SPUN GOLD

An early flowering dwarf golden-yellow Marigold. The chrysanthemum-like blooms are full double and up to 3" across. The erect bushy plants grow only 12" high. Spun Gold is ideal for bedding and borders. It is particularly suited for interplanting between shrubs and evergreens in the foundation planting, lending color, beauty and contrast. (Pkt. 50c) (Jumbo Pkt. \$1.25) (¼ oz. \$2.25)

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DIANTHUS

(Annual Pinks)

DOUBLE GAIETY

Cluster of brightly colored, very double flowers. Edges and petals are exquisitely fringed. A fine mixture of white, pink, rose, red and maroon colors. One of the most profuse bloomers of all. They often reseed themselves and bloom again the following season. They grow 1' tall. (Pkt. 20c) (Jumbo Pkt. 50c) (oz. \$1.50)

New—DIANTHUS BRAVO

A 1962 All-America winner that is bright scarlet-red, a new Dianthus color. The blooms are fringed at the tips and measure 1½ to 2" across. The 8" high, compact plants are completely covered with blooms that last well into late summer and fall months. Makes a fine, brightly colored border. (Pkt. 50c) (Jumbo Pkt. \$1.25)

MARIGOLDS

Burgess' SPECIAL MIXTURE

You will find that this carefully blended mixture of large-flowering Marigolds is really extra special! It includes all the large-flowered tall types, such as ball-shaped, carnation-flowered, chrysanthemum-flowered and peony-flowered. Extra fine for cutting. 2½ to 3'. (Pkt. 25c) (Jumbo Pkt. 60c) (¼ oz. \$1.00) (oz. \$3.00)

TOREADOR

This 1960 All-America Marigold is a true F1 Hybrid that produces 3" to 3½" deep golden-orange carnation-flowered blooms on bushy 3' plants. The blooms grow in abundance on long stems that make them fine for cutting. Be sure to try this variety. (Pkt. approximately 50 seeds, 50c) (½ oz. \$2.50)

DWARF DOUBLE PETITE

Petite is the best of the Dwarf French type. The fully double blooms are 1½" across. There are so many in bloom at one time they completely cover the plants so that no foliage is visible. Plants are only 6" tall and 10" wide. A well-balanced mixture of all the marigold colors. (Pkt. 25c) (Jumbo Pkt. 60c) (¼ oz. \$1.00) (oz. \$3.00)

SPRY

The 1½" blooms have bright yellow double-crested centers surrounded by several rows of mahogany-red guard petals. It is free flowering and makes one of the best edging plants for beds, pots and window-boxes. Grows only 8". (Pkt. 20c) (¼ oz. 55c) (oz. \$1.50)

SWEET SCENTED NASTURTIUMS

Double Globe Type (1' Tall)

GOLDEN GLOBE. Giant, golden-yellow double flowers.

SCARLET GLOBE. Fiery scarlet. Double blooms of huge size.

DOUBLE GLOBE MIXED. Contains a wide range of colors in various shades of red, yellow, orange and mahogany. More dwarf and compact growth than the Gleams. Perfect for borders, beds and ground cover.

CHOICE of above Globe Varieties: (Pkt. 20c) (oz. 55c) (¼ lb. \$1.30)

NASTURTIUM COLLECTION

One Pkt. Each	ALL
Golden Gleam	4 PKTS.
Scarlet Gleam	ONLY
Golden Globe	55c
Scarlet Globe	

Double Gleam Type 2' Tall

GOLDEN GLEAM. Large double golden-yellow flowers on long stems.

SCARLET GLEAM. Rich, dazzling orange-scarlet double blooms of immense size.

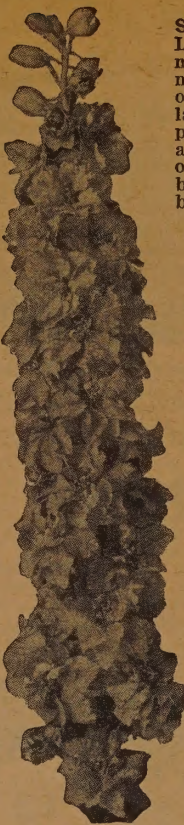
DOUBLE GLEAM MIXED. Contains a wide range of colors in various shades of red, yellow, orange and mahogany. Also, blotched and variegated coloring. This one is fine for broad borders, beds and ground cover.

CHOICE of above Gleam Varieties: (Pkt. 20c) (oz. 50c) (¼ lb. \$1.20)

OLD-FASHIONED SINGLE NASTURTIUMS

This mixture contains all the colors and color combinations that can be had in Nasturtiums. Free-blooming and fine for beds, borders and for cutting. Grow 1' tall. (Pkt. 20c) (oz. 45c) (¼ lb. \$1.20)

ANNUAL LARKSPUR



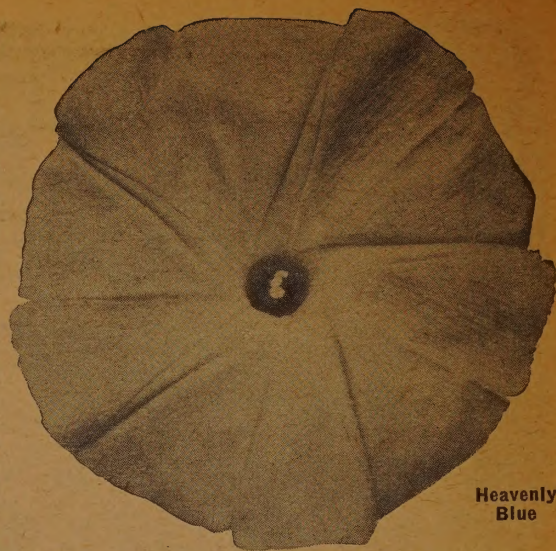
Giant Regal

GIANT REGAL STRAIN. The finest Larkspur on the market today. It is much earlier than other strains. The large double delphinium-like florets are produced on vigorous 4' spikes branching from the base. A fine mixture in a complete range of colors. Makes a very showy background for other flowers. Larkspur seedling plants are cold-resistant and we recommend very early planting. In the North they may be sown in the fall just before the ground freezes. (Pkt. 25c) (¼ oz. 65c) (oz. \$1.80)

POPPIES

Shirley Double

Gorgeous mixture of giant double flowers. They defy frosts, so can be seeded direct in the garden early in the spring. One of the showiest poppies. Grows to 1½'. (Pkt. 25c) (¼ oz. 85c) (oz. \$1.65)



Heavenly Blue

MORNING GLORIES

DARLING. Wine-red with snow-white throat, the blooms 4" across. (Pkt. 25c) (Jumbo Pkt. 60c) (oz. \$1.10)

GIANT IMPERIAL. All large-flowered types in unusual colors and color combinations. (Pkt. 25c) (Jumbo Pkt. 60c) (oz. \$1.10)

HEAVENLY BLUE. (Early Strain). Bright sky-blue flowers, 4 to 5" across shading golden yellow throats. (Pkt. 25c) (Jumbo Pkt. 60c) (oz. \$1.10)

PEARLY GATES. The purest white with huge 4½" flowers. (Pkt. 25c) (Jumbo Pkt. 60c) (oz. \$1.10)

SCARLETT O'HARA. Vivid red. 3½" flowers freely produced. (Pkt. 25c) (Jumbo Pkt. 60c) (oz. \$1.10)

RED, WHITE & BLUE COLLECTION

One (1) Pkt. each of Scarlett O'Hara, Pearly Gates and Heavenly Blue. All 3 Pkts. only 60c.

DOUBLE MORNING GLORY

DOUBLE ROSE MARIE.

Lovely, deep rose-pink flowers like the double ruffled Petunias. Begins blooming early and continues all summer and fall. Used on trellis, porch, arbor, fence, etc. (Pkt. 25c) (Jumbo Pkt. 60c) (oz. \$1.35)



Rose Marie



HELICHRYSUM

For Winter Bouquets

Gay in the summer garden and unexcelled for winter bouquets. Our large-flowering strain has beautiful 2½" blossoms in manifold hues of red, violet, purple, rose, pink, salmon, yellow and white. To preserve for winter use, cut when flowers are partly opened, tie in small, loose bunches and hang with heads down (to keep stems straight) in a cool, shady place to dry slowly. Grows 15" tall. Mixed colors only. (Pkt. 25c) (Jumbo Pkt. 60c) (oz. \$1.65)

MOON FLOWER

Sweet scented white flowers to 5" across on fast-growing vines 15' high. Dense foliage furnishes splendid shade. (Pkt. 25c) (oz. \$1.25)

MOLTEN-FIRE

This magnificent foliage plant grows to 3' tall. Leaves are bronze until partly grown, then they gradually turn into variegated deep maroon shades. Each branch is topped with a head of bright fiery-crimson. Very showy as a background plant, and a startling sight planted in a bed. (Pkt. 25c) (Jumbo Pkt. 60c) (¼ oz. 90c) (oz. \$2.25)

CHOICE PETUNIA SEED



DWARF MULTIFLORA TYPE

The Petunias listed in this column all have plain-edged flowers. They are extremely free-blooming and the individual blooms of most of them are about 2½" across and completely cover the plants.

CONFETTI

Multiflora—F₂ Blend

For those who like plain-edged blooms on Petunias, this is the mixture to plant. The 2½" to 3" blooms completely cover the compact plants that are only 12" to 16" tall. Only bright non-fading colors are included. They cover the entire color range of Petunias. Due to Hybrid vigor, they bloom more abundantly and continue until frost. (Pkt. 25c) (Jumbo Pkt. 60c) (¼ oz. \$1.75)

COMANCHE HYBRID

The first of the F₁ hybrids and still one of the best red Petunias. Its 2½" flowers are truly redder than red, and even hold its color under shady conditions. It grows 13" to 15" tall. (Pkt., 150 seeds, 50c) (Jumbo Pkt., 450 seeds, \$1.25) (¼ oz. \$18.00)

RED SATIN HYBRID

The richest red F₁ Hybrid Petunia yet produced. A Multiflora type and holds its color in all kinds of weather, in sun or shady locations. The compact plants are less than 12" tall with 2½" blooms completely covering the plants. (Pkt. 100 seeds, 50c) (Jumbo Pkt. 300 seeds, \$1.25) (¼ oz. \$20.00)

PINK SATIN HYBRID

A bright rose-pink F₁ companion to Red Satin, with the same type of growth and the same size blooms. The compact mound-shaped plants bloom continuously until killed by frost. They hold their color without fading. (Pkt., 100 seeds, 50c) (Jumbo Pkt., 300 seeds, \$1.25) (¼ oz. \$20.00)

PLUM DANDY HYBRID

A new color in Petunias, an intense, bright, plum-purple, that is a real stand-out. Plum Dandy is exceptionally free-flowering, non-fading and continues to produce blooms until killed by frost. Blooms 2¼" across on vigorous growing plants that are only 15" tall. (Pkt., 100 seeds, 50c) (Jumbo Pkt., 300 seeds, \$1.25) (¼ oz. \$20.00)

WHITE HARMONY HYBRID

We have found this to be the best Hybrid Multiflora-type White. It has 2½" pure white flowers that cover the compact 12" tall plants. It is quite free-flowering and continues to bloom throughout the season. (Pkt., 150 seeds, 50c) (Jumbo Pkt., 450 seeds, \$1.25) (¼ oz. \$18.00)

SATELLITE HYBRID



A striking multiflora-type, with 2½" rose-colored blooms with a perfect white star. A wonderful variety for beds and borders. Plants are dwarf, compact and very free-flowering. Height about 12". (Pkt., 100 seeds, 50c) (Jumbo Pkt., 300 seeds, \$1.25) (¼ oz. \$20.00)

PETUNIAS EASILY GROWN

Starting seeds of Petunia inside has been simplified by the use of inexpensive aluminum trays and NODAMPOFF Sphagnum moss. They are listed with the garden supplies in this catalog. Soil is placed in the tray and covered with ¼" of damp moss. The seeds are sprinkled on the surface and they grow to transplanting size without additional attention, other than thinning and occasional watering.

HYBRIDS HAVE MORE VIGOR

The hybrid vigor of the new F₁ Hybrids and the F₂'s make them really outstanding. They have far greater uniformity, they grow faster and stronger, and the colors are infinitely brighter, clearer and more uniform. They bloom more freely and continue to bloom more abundantly over a longer season. The seed is worth the extra expense when the results are considered. They should be started indoors where extra care can be given.

ALL DOUBLE GIANT FRINGED HYBRID

(Improved Dwarf Strain)

With many blooms up to 5" across, these gorgeous F₁ Hybrid Petunias are exquisitely fringed, ruffled and duplexed. Our mixture is well balanced in shades of rose, red, purple, pink, lavender, white and many bi-color combinations. The dwarf, compact plants grow about 1' tall and are wonderful for borders as well as window boxes, pots and cutting. (Pkt., 100 seeds, \$1.25) (Jumbo Pkt., 300 seeds, \$3.00) (¼ oz. \$50.00)

DWARF RUFFLED GIANTS

Blooms up to 6" Across

Dwarf Ruffled Giants are truly giant-flowering Petunias. Their deeply ruffled blooms measure up to 6" across and grow on compact plants that are only 8" to 10" tall. A wide range of colors and color combinations. A supreme strain for bedding, borders and window boxes. (Pkt. 40c) (Jumbo Pkt. \$1.00) (¼ oz. \$7.00)

CELESTIAL ROSE

F₂ Hybrid

We now have this most popular bedding variety in an F₂. It is more free-flowering than the non-hybrid. The deep rose-pink blooms are 2½" across and do not fade. The 12" compact plants are covered with a mass of blooms all summer. (Pkt. 25c) (Jumbo Pkt. 60c) (¼ oz. 85c)

FIRECHIEF

The 2½" blooms are intense red when first open and change to a somewhat duller red after being open a day or two. It is one of the most popular bedding Petunias. Grows to 12". (Pkt. 25c) (Jumbo Pkt. 60c) (¼ oz. \$1.35)

BEDDING MIXTURE

A splendid mixture of single bedding varieties, including a complete range of colors and color combinations. All with blooms 2 to 3" across on plants 1½ to 2' tall. (Pkt. 25c) (Jumbo Pkt. 60c) (¼ oz. 85c)

GIANT FROLIC → HYBRID

The first F₁ Hybrid in the popular "Giants of California" class. Early flowering, vigorous plants growing about 15 inches high, with enormous blooms 6 to 8 inches across. With its hybrid vigor it will produce an abundance of bloom under virtually all growing conditions. Our mixture contains a complete color range of red, rose, pink, salmon and white, including many combinations of these colors.

Be sure to plant Frolic this year and have the finest and largest ruffled Petunias you have ever seen! (Pkt., 100 seeds, 75c) (Jumbo Pkt., 300 seeds, \$1.85) (¼ oz. \$35.00)



DWARF GRANDIFLORA TYPE

The Petunias listed in this column all are large-flowered, ruffled and fringed. The individual blooms are 3½" to 4" across and are well spaced over the plants.

CARNIVAL

Grandiflora F₂ Blend

More flowers and a better range of colors than any standard large-flowered bedding Petunia. Blooms up to 3 to 4" across and most with fringed and ruffled petal edges. The plants grow only 15" tall with a spread of 2' and make an amazing display of color when used as a bed or border. The seed is produced from carefully selected F₁ Hybrids, that retain "Hybrid Vigor" in the F₂ seed we are offering. You will be impressed by the size, quality and brilliance of Carnival flowers. (Pkt. 35c) (Jumbo Pkt. 90c) (¼ oz. \$4.00)

SCARLET LUSTER HYBRID

An F₁ Hybrid with waved and ruffled brilliant scarlet-red flowers with a yellow throat. Blooms up to 3½" across on plants that are only 1' tall and have a 2' spread. They bear flowers abundantly over the whole plant and continue until killed by frost. (Pkt., 100 seeds, 75c) (Jumbo Pkt., 300 seeds, \$1.85) (¼ oz. \$40.00)

BLUE MANTLE HYBRID

We consider this the best large-flowered, violet-blue Petunia. The 4", rich velvety flowers are non-fading and are beautifully waved. Plants are 12" tall and have a spread of only about 16". (Pkt., 100 seeds, 75c) (Jumbo Pkt., 300 seeds, \$1.85) (¼ oz. \$35.00)





GOURDS for Bird Houses

Attractive and inexpensive Bird Houses can easily be made from gourds. All that is needed is the right kind of gourd and a sharp knife. Hang these Gourd Bird Houses in trees, away from the reach of cats, and they will attract many beautiful birds. Birds are not only ornamental in the garden and on the lawn, but are very beneficial, destroying worms and other insect pests. Plant some of our Bird House Gourd seed this spring and grow your own Bird Houses. **Crop Failure** (no seed this year).



PENGUIN GOURDS

"Arctic Snowbirds"

These charming and curious snow birds attract the curiosity and admiration of everyone, and are easily made from Calabash Pipe Gourds. They make delightful gifts, and also find ready sale. The gourds are easily grown and no particular skill is required, as the gourds are simply harvested when ripe, painted, mounted on a wooden or plaster base and absorbent cotton is placed around to represent snow. (Pkt. 30c) (Jumbo Pkt. 75c) (oz. \$1.50)



Calabash Pipe Gourds staged and decorated as Penguins



PORTULACA or Moss Rose The Brightest Of All Sun Lovers

These gaily flowering, creeping plants are always in prolific bloom from early summer to frost. Brightest scarlet, orange-scarlet, yellow, vivid purple, pink, rose and white. Thrive in light, sandy loam in full sun. Grow 4 to 6" tall.

DOUBLE MIXED. (Pkt. 25c) (Jumbo Pkt. 60c) (¼ oz. \$1.20)

SINGLE MIXED. (Pkt. 20c) (Jumbo Pkt. 50c) (¼ oz. 85c)

PERIWINKLE LITTLE PINKIE

Vinca. Makes an excellent, colorful ground cover. Blooms 1¼" across, star-shaped and rosy-pink with velvety red eye. The plants grow to about 8" tall and have attractive, glossy, green leaves. Fine for edging and borders as well as an excellent pot plant. (Pkt. 25c) (¼ oz. 80c) (¼ oz. \$1.30)

ORNAMENTAL GOURDS

Gay, Colorful Decorations

Gourds make gay winter decorations when thoroughly ripened, cured and varnished. When painted in bright color combinations, they are very attractive braided in strings for wall decorations or when loosely arranged in flat bowls for the table. Many useful things are made from Gourds, such as hanging baskets, vases, wall pockets, fruit bowls, dippers, pipes, nest eggs, bird houses, toys, etc.

ALL KINDS MIXED. Our Gourd Mixture is an extra fine blend including a great many kinds of all shapes and sizes. (Pkt. 20c) (Jumbo Pkt. 50c) (oz. \$1.00) (¼ lb. \$3.00) (lb. \$10.00)



STOCKS

DWARF TRYSONIC 7 WEEKS. The earliest stocks ever developed, noted for its outstanding performance in areas where heretofore it has been impossible to successfully grow stocks. This is highly recommended for the North where other varieties will not bloom due to the short season. Trysonic produces an exceptionally large percentage of double flowers and come in a brilliant range of colors. Plants are dwarf and grow to 18". (Pkt. 35c) (Jumbo Pkt. 90c) (¼ oz. \$3.00)
DOUBLE GIANT IMPERIAL. Produces the largest spikes of all stocks and is set with numerous very large double blooms. Flower spikes grow 24" tall. This variety is recommended for the South and mid Southern areas. A fine mixture of colors. (Pkt. 25c) (Jumbo Pkt. 60c) (¼ oz. \$1.25)

SCABIOSA

The Pincushion Flower

Giant Double. Exquisite shades of pink, rose, cherry red, fiery scarlet, white, yellow, amethyst, lavender, light and dark blue and purple. Blooms 2½ to 3" across. Blooms July until frost. Grows to 2½'. (Pkt. 25c) (¼ oz. 65c) (oz. \$1.80)

SCHIZANTHUS

POOR MAN'S ORCHID.

These long-lasting dainty flowers even make wonderful corsages. They have loads of charming blooms that completely obscure the delicate fern-like foliage. Easily grown, they come in white through shades of cream, and pink to crimson and mauve. Grows to 16". (Pkt. 25c) (¼ oz. 65c) (¼ oz. \$1.00)

SALPIGLOSSIS

DWARF GIANTS. Gorgeous, funnel-shaped flowers of rich velvety texture. Wonderful range of colors, including crimson, primrose, purple and gold, rose and gold, scarlet and gold and white and gold all charmingly penciled, netted and veined. Blooms 3" across on plants 20" tall. They bloom all summer long in a riot of color. One of the best for cutting. (Pkt. 20c) (¼ oz. 55c) (oz. \$1.50)

RICINUS

Giant Castor Oil Plant

This tropical looking plant is fine for backgrounds and group plantings. Plants grow to 14' with rich green leaves with reddish ribs which grow up to 3" across. They have brilliant crimson seed pods. Planted in the garden, they are believed to discourage moles and Japanese Beetles. (Pkt. 25c) (oz. 55c) (¼ lb. \$1.40) (lb. \$4.25)

TITHONIA

Fine for Cutting

TORCH. Spectacular fiery orange-scarlet single dahlia-like blooms 3 to 4" across. Blooms from August until frost on compact bushy plants. 4' tall. Makes a brilliant display and the strong, straight stems are fine for cutting. Flowers last a long time. (Pkt. 25c) (¼ oz. 90c) (¼ oz. \$1.50)

SWEET SCENTED TOBACCO

(Nicotiana)

Sensation. The long tubular flowers are star-shaped and close in midday. When they open in the evening they are very fragrant. A mixture of crimson, red, chartreuse, white and shades of rose. The plants are bushy, free-flowering and 2' tall. (Pkt. 25c) (¼ oz. 65c) (oz. \$1.80)

ANNUAL FLOWER GARDEN MIXTURE

Blooms All Season

Hundreds of varieties of Pretty Flowers, especially selected with colors and types being carefully proportioned to produce a constant and varied bloom the whole season, are contained in this fine mixture. Wonderful for cutting garden, bare spots in the landscape or to plant along fence row. (Pkt. 20c) (oz. 65c) (¼ lb. \$1.60)

GIANT PANSIES SUPER SWISS GIANTS

A selected strain for quality and size. Blooms up to 3" or more across. A complete range of all the shades of red, purple, blue, yellow, primrose and bronze in a well-balanced mixture. (Pkt. 50c) (Jumbo Pkt. \$1.25) (¼ oz. \$1.65) (¼ oz. \$2.75) (oz. \$9.00)

GIANT ENGELMANN PANSY

Unsurpassed for size, beauty, thick velvety texture and wide range of colors. Long stiff stems that are ideal for cutting. Light, dark and intermediate colors, and flowers blotched and spotted, splashed and striped. 3½" blooms. (Pkt. 60c) (Jumbo Pkt. \$1.50) (¼ oz. \$2.00) (¼ oz. \$3.50) (oz. \$11.00)

Burgess'—PANSY BARGAIN

36 1 Pkt. Each { Super Swiss Giant 90c
 { Giant Engelmann



ANNUAL PHLOX

Dwarf Large Flowered Globe

This one has the largest flowers produced on round, compact bushes only 6 to 8" high. Perfect for bedding and edging. Fine mixture in good range of colors. (Pkt. 25c) (Jumbo Pkt. 60c) (1/8 oz. \$1.00) (1/4 oz. \$1.75)

TWINKLE (Star Phlox)

This annual Star Phlox grows only 6" tall and covers itself with a mass of star-shaped flowers that are up to 1" across. Its wide range of brilliant colors and color combinations make it unusually attractive for borders and bedding. (Pkt. 35c) (Jumbo Pkt. 90c) (1/8 oz. \$1.25) (1/4 oz. \$2.00)

Decorative

RAINBOW CORN

A colorful Indian Corn for decorating on certain special occasions and for a permanent decorative effect on porch or patio. Each ear will contain several colors and color combinations of kernels. Contains a high percentage of bright colors. (Pkt. 25c) (Jumbo Pkt. 60c)

Decorative

STRAWBERRY POPCORN

Tiny 2 in. ears are rich, shiny mahogany color like a huge Strawberry. Makes attractive decoration with its decorative husk. It pops, too. (Pkt. 25c) (Jumbo Pkt. 60c)

SWEET PEAS



CUTHBERTSON FLORIBUNDA

(Heat-Resistant)

The latest development in the Heat-resistant group. This type continues to bloom well into hot weather after other varieties have died. Blooms abundantly, medium early, on strong, long stems containing five or more large, individual blooms that are pleasantly fragrant. Our Mixture contains a complete range of colors, including all the recent introductions. (Pkt. 20c) (oz. 50c) (1/4 lb. \$1.35)



GIANT VERBENA

MULTIFLORA. An improved strain of bush type that grows only 10" tall. The clusters of showy flowers are borne in constant succession from June to frost and practically cover the plants. Our mixture contains a complete range of Verbena colors. Good for beds, borders and window boxes. (Pkt. 25c) (Jumbo Pkt. 60c) (1/4 oz. \$1.00) (oz. \$3.00)



SUNFLOWER

Sunflowers are not only a fine tall background flower but are useful for screening unsightly areas.

DOUBLE SUN GOLD. (Chrysanthemum-flowered). Rich golden-yellow, big as a man's hat. 4 to 5' tall. (Pkt. 25c) (Jumbo Pkt. 60c) (oz. \$1.10)

SINGLE RED. Different shades of red and red margined with yellow. 2 to 5' flowers grow on 4 to 5' stems. (Pkt. 20c) (1/2 oz. 60c) (oz. \$1.00)

MAMMOTH RUSSIAN (Largest of All). Largest of all with heads up to 22" across. Immense quantity of seed, highly valued for poultry. Grows 8 to 10' and good for tall backgrounds. (Pkt. 20c) (1/4 lb. 50c) (lb. \$1.00) (3 lbs. \$2.25)

CUPID SWEET PEAS

For Bedding and Borders. The Cupid or Dwarf Sweet Peas are excellent for bedding and borders; form a line of emerald green foliage a little over a foot wide and 8" high, and from June until late summer are literally a sheet of bloom. All the best colors and shades mixed. (Pkt. 25c) (1/2 oz. 75c) (oz. \$1.25)

GIANT EARLY MULTIFLORA

(Ruffled Type)

A selected early strain of giant ruffled types that are truly ruffled, duplexed and frilled. The long 18" husky stems each carry 6 to 8, and sometimes 10, giant blooms. The vines are vigorous and will produce flowers earlier than other varieties. They also have heat-resistant qualities and continue to bloom well into the Summer. Contains all the leading colors in a well balanced Mixture. (Pkt. 20c) (oz. 50c) (1/4 lb. \$1.35)

GIANT SPENCERS

Burgess' Special Blend

The Spencers have large, round open flowers of extraordinary size, usually measuring 2" across, with wavy standards and widespread wings, a very large percentage bearing four of these immense blossoms to the stem, which is long and strong, making them of exceptional value for cutting. This mixture contains 35 distinct varieties in a perfect blend of colors. The color blend is, we believe, as near perfection as it is possible to attain. (Pkt. 20c) (oz. 50c) (1/4 lb. \$1.35)

SALVIA

(Scarlet Sage) (Firecracker Plant)

SAINT JOHNS FIRE

The earliest and dwarfest red variety and is extremely free flowering. A wonderful bedding variety and especially useful for borders. Grows only 10" tall. (Pkt. 35c) (Jumbo Pkt. 90c) (1/8 oz. \$1.65) (1/4 oz. \$2.75) (oz. \$9.00)

SPLENDENS

Brilliant scarlet flowers that grow on plants 24" tall. (Pkt. 25c) (Jumbo Pkt. 60c) (1/8 oz. 85c) (1/4 oz. \$1.40) (oz. \$4.00)

BLUE BEDDER

(Farinacea)

The deepest blue variety of Salvia. The long stems make it ideal for cutting and is fine for beds and borders. It is a half hardy annual and will winter over in mild climates. Plants 26" tall. (Pkt. 25c) (Jumbo Pkt. 60c) (1/8 oz. \$1.00) (1/4 oz. \$1.75)

FIREBALL

Early, continuous bloom, very uniform in size and as brilliantly red as its name. Grows only 16" tall. (Pkt. 25c) (Jumbo Pkt. 60c) (1/8 oz. \$1.00) (1/4 oz. \$1.75) (oz. \$5.50)

New—SALVIA PINK ROUGE

This brilliant, deep pink Salvia is a brand new color for the species. It is ideal for edging and borders as it grows only 12" to 14" high. It is extra early and starts blooming when only a few inches high. (Pkt. 40c) (Jumbo Pkt. \$1.00)

SNAPDRAGON or Antirrhinum

HYBRID ROCKET (Heat-Resistant)

An F1 Hybrid Snapdragon that was particularly developed for the home garden. They are as fine as greenhouse-grown Snaps. Spikes grow 36" tall and are nearly completely covered with large, closely-spaced florets. A well-balanced blend of bronze, gold, rose and white colors. Seed started inside early will bloom in July. If cut back after blooming, they will bloom again in the fall. (Pkt. 50c) (Jumbo Pkt. \$1.25)

MAGIC CARPET

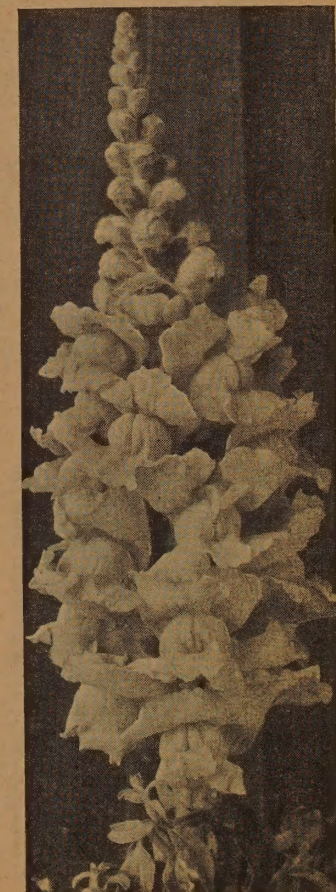
The compact plants grow only 4" to 6" high and are completely covered with 1" blooms in a well balanced color mixture of red, pink, orange, yellow and white. Fine for edging and low borders as it continues to bloom all Summer. (Pkt. 30c) (Jumbo Pkt. 75c) (1/4 oz. \$1.75)

MARDI GRAS

The earliest variety of Snapdragon. The seed is produced from carefully selected F1 Hybrids, that retain "Hybrid Vigor" in the F2 seed. This process gives a wider color range and a more vigorous and uniform flower growth. The 28" spikes are covered with large blooms the full length of the spikes. (Pkt. 30c) (Jumbo Pkt. 75c) (1/4 oz. \$1.75)

Giant Ruffled TETRAPLOID

The largest flowering of all Snapdragons. Individual flowers up to 2" across. Central spikes grow to 2' surrounded with shorter spikes around the base that make attractive cut flowers. Our mixture contains a good range of colors and shades. About a week later than Mardi Gras, but those wanting extra large blooms will find this strain ideal. (Pkt. 35c) (Jumbo Pkt. 90c) (1/4 oz. \$2.00)



BURGESS ZINNIAS

Zinnias are probably the easiest to grow of all annual flowers and surely one of the most popular. We list here what we think to be the finest varieties, both old and new, and including all the types and sizes.

Burgess' SUPER-GIANT MIXTURE

A superb formula blend of all GIANT ZINNIAS. It includes all of the colors in well-balanced proportions. If you want all the Giants, this is the one to plant. (Pkt. 25c) (Jumbo Pkt. 60c) (oz. \$1.50)

MERRY-GO-ROUND

2 Sharp Contrasting Colors
on Each Flower

This real bicolor is an amazing Zinnia creation. The colors are not suffused, but sharp and abrupt contrasts. In many of the flowers there is even a third color at the very base of the petals. Flowers are 3 to 4" across and are fully double cactus and semi-cactus types. The bushy plants are only 1 to 1½' tall and covered with blooms. A complete range of Zinnia colors in combination, with the darker colors always at the base of the flower. Fine for borders, beds and cutting. (Pkt. 35c) (Jumbo Pkt. 90c) (¼ oz. \$1.25) (oz. \$3.50)

GIANTS OF CALIFORNIA

Magnificent double flowers 5 to 6" across, as big as Dahlia-Flowered, but flattened with overlapping petals that make a truly wonderful effect. Well-branched plants grow 3' tall with long, stiff stems. A mixture of colors. (Pkt. 20c) (Jumbo Pkt. 50c) (oz. \$1.25)

RED RIDING HOOD

An early blooming, tiny, bright red miniature Zinnia that blooms all summer. The fully double blooms are 1" across on 12" plants. Outstanding for borders and fine for miniature bouquets. (Pkt. 25c) (Jumbo Pkt. 60c) (oz. \$1.80)

LILLIPUT or POMPON

These dwarf, bushy and branching Zinnias are 12 to 15" tall. They have a full range of ZINNIA colors, and look especially well in front of the Giant varieties, or as borders and edgings. Small 2" flowers are on stiff stems ideal for cutting. (Pkt. 20c) (Jumbo Pkt. 50c) (oz. \$1.25)

ZINNIA COLLECTION

1 Pkt. Dahlia-Flowered, 1 Pkt. Fantasy Improved, 1 Pkt. Tom Thumb.

All 3 Pkts. only 60c

MISS UNIVERSE →

7" Blooms On 2' Plants

The Zinnia with the largest blooms—many are as much as 7" across. Colors range in many shades of gold, red and orange, with many bicolors such as pink with red centers or yellow with scarlet centers and other striking color combinations. The plants are only 2' high and are of base branching habit, which gives stems long enough for cutting. Continues to bloom well during hot, humid weather. (Pkt. 30c) (Jumbo Pkt. 75c) (¼ oz. \$1.00) (oz. \$3.00)



TOM THUMB

Perfectly Double Flowers

6 to 8" compact plant covered with well-formed perfectly double flowers 2" across. Colors range through red, orange, yellow, pink, rose, white and all between. A most effective border plant and excellent for bouquets. (Pkt. 25c) (Jumbo Pkt. 60c) (oz. \$2.00)



PEPPERMINT STICK

The flowers are different than other Zinnias in that the majority of them are striped in various color combinations of red and white, red and yellow, orange and yellow, purple and white, etc. It is of the pumila type with blooms 2½" across on 2' plants. It is ideal for cutting and makes an unusual display. (Pkt. 25c) (Jumbo Pkt. 60c) (oz. \$1.80)



GIANT "Hybrid" ZINNIA

These hybrids are the finest of a new race of cactus-type Zinnias with gracefully quilled, fluffy and ruffled petals in a myriad of all colors. Huge 5" flowers stand on long stems that are ideal for cutting. Plants are 2½ to 3' high. In a fine mixture of all the Zinnia colors. Very outstanding. (Pkt. 25c) (Jumbo Pkt. 60c) (oz. \$1.80)



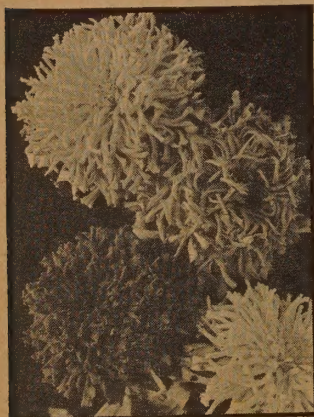
GIANT DAHLIA-FLOWERED

These mammoth-size Zinnias are 5 to 6" across and look like perfect Dahlias. Strong growers with long, stiff stems that make them ideal for cutting. A complete range of delicate, bright and rich colors from white, yellow, lavender and rose to orange, scarlet and brightest crimson. They grow gracefully to 3'. (Pkt. 20c) (Jumbo Pkt. 50c) (oz. \$1.25)

FANTASY IMPROVED

← Giant Quilled

These large 4" cactus-type flowers with irregular quilled petals, like a shaggy chrysanthemum, are truly a wonderful sight. A complete range of colors from brightest reds and oranges to pastel pinks, creams and salmons. Grows 2½ ft. tall. (Pkt. 25c) (Jumbo Pkt. 60c) (oz. \$1.50)



HOUSE PLANT SEED

It is interesting and economical, too, to grow house plants from seed. The subjects listed on this page are the best and easiest to grow from seed.



Grow GERANIUMS from Seed

A superb strain of the finest American and European varieties, many of them with zoned and variegated leaves. A really choice mixture of all the colors in Geraniums. Geraniums are one of the easiest of all house plants to grow from seed. Doubles and Singles. (Pkt. 60c) (Jumbo Pkt. \$1.50) (1/16 oz. \$1.75) (1/8 oz. \$2.50) (1/4 oz. \$4.00).

GROW HOUSE PLANTS from SEEDS

Our SPECIAL MIXTURE of House Plant Seeds contains the following list of varieties and others, all easily grown.

Begonia
Primrose
Weather Plant
Cineraria
Coleus
Cyclamen
Asparagus Fern
Impatiens
Carnation

Cactus
Fan-leaf Palm
Fuchsia
Geranium
Heliotrope
Lantana
Lobelia
Periwinkle
Jerusalem Cherry

You can secure a nice collection of House Plants at practically no cost by sowing this seed in pots or boxes in the house. This collection contains 18 or more varieties that can be easily and successfully grown in the ordinary home. The seed is put up in mixture of varieties, a few seeds of each, and at our price of \$1.00 a packet, a large assortment of plants can be grown for less money than you would pay a florist for one plant. Were you to buy these seeds in separate packets, they would cost you from \$4.00 to \$5.00. We have a good stock of these seeds and expect to be able to supply everyone who wants them, but should our supply of one or more varieties run short, we reserve the right to substitute other choice varieties or return your money. This is a bargain package that will please the most critical lover of house plants. With each packet we send full directions for planting the seed and caring for same. (Pkt. \$1.25) (Jumbo Pkt. \$3.00).

CACTUS SEED

Few realize what an easy and interesting hobby it is to grow Cactus from seed. Our mixture contains many choice varieties of Cactus, including many rare and unusual kinds, making interesting pot plants. (Pkt. 50c) (Jumbo Pkt. \$1.25) (1/8 oz. \$2.25).

ORNAMENTAL COTTON

Cotton makes a very ornamental plant in the North for any flower garden indoors or out with large showy flowers, followed by large fluffy balls of white cotton. (Pkt. 25c) (Jumbo Pkt. 60c).

SHOO-FLY PLANT

It is said that flies will not stay in a room where it is grown if they can conveniently escape. What repulses them is not clear, as the plants and flowers have no odor. Beautiful plant that blooms in 60 days from seed. A profuse bloomer in pots both summer and winter, blossoms large, cup-shaped and of a lovely light blue color with white center. Can be grown as an annual and will grow 2 1/2' tall, but can be trimmed to any desired height when grown as a house plant. (Pkt. 25c) (Jumbo Pkt. 60c) (1/8 oz. \$1.00).

WEATHER PLANT

If the leaves stand upright the weather will be fine. If they stand out straight, changeable weather is expected and the leaves droop or "go to sleep" during a storm. Light purple flowers: brilliant red seeds which are used for beads. (Pkt. 35c) (Jumbo Pkt. 90c).

IMPATIENS, Scarlet Baby

Everblooming Pot Plant

The perfect, everblooming bedding plant for shade. Also, an ideal pot plant. Brilliant scarlet 2" blooms. Attractive bronze-green foliage. Height 12". (Pkt. 75c) (Jumbo Pkt. \$1.85) (1/8 oz. \$5.00).

SENSITIVE PLANT (Mimosa Pudica)

This is one of the most interesting of all house plants and is easily and quickly grown from seed. The unusual characteristic is that when the leaves are touched the petiole falls and the leaves immediately fold against the stem. In a matter of minutes the leaves unfold and retain their natural position. Grown in the house the plants attain a height of from 12 to 16 inches. (Pkt. 30c) (Jumbo Pkt. 75c) (1/4 oz. \$1.50).



CALCEOLARIA

With Rich and Varied Colors

Beautiful large pocket-like flowers in shades of red, rose, orange and yellow. Mostly blotched and spotted. Bushy free-flowering plants grow 15" high. (Pkt. 75c) (Jumbo Pkt. \$1.85) (1/8 oz. \$10.00).



CYCLAMEN

Giant Flowered. One of the finest house plants. The large fragrant blooms are on strong erect stems well above the ornamental foliage. It takes nearly 18 months to produce blooms from seed, but they are well worth the time involved. The mixture includes shades of red, pink, salmon, lavender and white. Grow to 14". (Pkt., 15 seeds, 60c) (Jumbo Pkt., 45 seeds, \$1.50) (100 seeds, \$2.65).



GLOXINIA

This is the magnificent giant-flowered strain. The bell-shaped blooms are blue, purple, red, rose and white. Many are mottled and spotted. Finest for house plants and window boxes. 8 to 12" tall. (Pkt. 60c) (Jumbo Pkt. \$1.50) (1/8 oz. \$10.00).

COLEUS

For Indoors and Out

Every indoor garden must have a few coleus plants to brighten up the greens. Our stock is variegated with an amazing assembly of burnt oranges and reds shading into the greens. For the best coloring, the plants should be grown in a sunny location. A fast grower and easily grown. (Pkt. 50c) (Jumbo Pkt. \$1.25) (1/8 oz. \$2.25).



FUCHSIA

Single and double "ear-drop" flowers in colors of red, pink and lavender with sepals in contrasting colors. A slow grower, but you will delight with this unusual plant. Will grow to 18" tall or it can be trimmed to lower heights. (Pkt., 20 seeds, 60c) (Jumbo Pkt., 60 seeds, \$1.50) (1/8 oz. \$25.00).



PRIMROSE

Giant Flowered Type

Flowers abundantly and continuously bearing immense trusses of giant flowers in pure white and soft pink to rose, red and brightest crimson. Grows to 12". (Pkt. 40c) (Jumbo Pkt. \$1.00) (1/8 oz. \$7.00).



CINERARIA

Giant Exhibition. Our strain is unsurpassed in size, bright colors and delicate fragrance. Plants grow into round bushes completely covered with flowers. The Cineraria is literally covered with blooms up to 3 1/2" across. Grows to 12". (Pkt. 50c) (Jumbo Pkt. \$1.25) (1/8 oz. \$10.00).

BEGONIA SEED

Fibrous-Rooted. Begonias make ideal bedding, border and window box plants as well as house plants. They are everblooming and do well in full sun or nearly complete shade. The foliage is decorative as are the brilliant flowers. Seed started in the spring will make blooms by mid-summer. Fine mixture of red, pink and white. About 12" high. Plants may be taken up in the fall for house plants or seed may be started in summer for winter use. (Pkt. 50c) (Jumbo Pkt. \$1.25) (1/8 oz. \$8.00).

PERENNIAL SEEDS

The economical way to have a perennial garden, is to grow your own plants from seed. Listed on this page are the perennials most easily grown from seed.



HARDY PHLOX SEED

Perennial Phlox is slow to germinate, but is easily grown from seed. Our mixture contains all the best large-flowered colors. They do not come true from seed and new varieties and color combinations are produced in this way. (Pkt. 25c) (Jumbo Pkt. 60c) (¼ oz. \$2.50)

PERENNIAL FLOWER GARDEN

An inexpensive way of obtaining a good assortment of perennial plants. Our mixture contains hundreds of different species including all the leading varieties as well as many of the more rare types. (Pkt. 25c) (Jumbo Pkt. 60c) (¼ oz. \$1.50) (Oz. \$4.50).

COLUMBINE—Aquilegia

McKana's Giant. Giant 4" blooms with spurs 3 to 4" long make this All-America Winner outstanding. Plants are strong and free-blooming. Grow to 3'. Blooms range from deep maroons and reds, through blues, yellows, pinks and primrose. (Pkt. 50c) (Jumbo Pkt. \$1.25) (¼ oz. \$1.65)

Long Spurred. This spring-blooming plant comes in a wide range of colors from bright yellow to vivid scarlet, with dainty blues and deep purples. Fine for borders and cutting. 2½'. (Pkt. 30c) (Jumbo Pkt. 75c) (¼ oz. \$1.40)

PERENNIAL CANDYTUFT

Iberis. One of the best of all hardy edging flowers. The shrubby plants are covered with clusters of white blooms in spring and early summer. Easily grown and suitable for sun or shade. 12" tall. (Pkt. 30c) (Jumbo Pkt. 75c) (¼ oz. \$1.40)

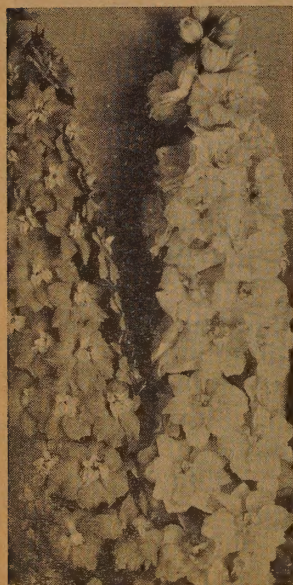
GLORIOSA DAISY (Rudbeckia)

Produces giant, daisy-like, solid color and bicolored flowers in shades of yellow, mahogany, orange, gold and bronze. Some blooms up to 5" across. Plants 3' tall. Gloriosa Daisies are perennial, but if started early, most will bloom the first year. (Pkt. 25c) (Jumbo Pkt. 60c) (¼ oz. \$1.75)

SHASTA DAISY ALASKA

It is giant in size, blooms profusely on tall stiff stems, with heavy, overlapping petals. Flowers average 4 to 5" and we have seen many of them as large as 7" across. Makes fine cut flowers during June and July. 2 to 2½'. (Pkt. 20c) (¼ oz. 65c)

GIANT DELPHINIUMS



PACIFIC GIANTS. For sheer, delightful, breathtaking beauty, no flower can compare with the tall stateliness of the Delphinium, of which the Pacific Giant is by far the best. With individual florets 2½" across and spikes 4 to 5' tall, they deserve the title "Queen of the Garden." Combinations of colors and shades of blue, purple, rose and lavender. Blooms in June. (Pkt. 50c) (Jumbo Pkt. \$1.25) (¼ oz. \$2.00)

GIANT ENGLISH STRAIN. The superb Blackmore and Langdon strain has a color range from pale blue through delicate lavender and rose variations, all with bees of contrasting colors. Large spikes—high percent of doubles. (Pkt. 35c) (Jumbo Pkt. 90c) (¼ oz. \$1.80)



Hardy, Garden CARNATIONS

For brilliance of color and a delightful spicy fragrance it's hard to beat the Carnation. A fine mixture of whites, reds, pinks and yellows. Blooms are 2½" across on long stems that are fine for cutting. If sown early will bloom the first year. 18 to 20". (Pkt. 30c) (Jumbo Pkt. 75c) (¼ oz. \$1.10)

PYRETHRUM

Painted Daisy. Fern-like foliage surmounted by many pink, red and white 2½" yellow-eyed daisy-like flowers. It blooms in late spring and is one of the finest for cutting, 1 to 2'. (Pkt. 25c) (Jumbo Pkt. 60c) (¼ oz. \$1.50)

DIANTHUS

Hardy Garden Pinks

Plumarius. Double and semi-double fringed blooms with pleasing, spicy fragrance. A fine mixture of many colors that bloom from spring until fall. Fine for borders, rock gardens and cutting. If sown early will bloom the first year. 12". (Pkt. 25c) (Jumbo Pkt. 60c) (¼ oz. \$1.25)

FOXGLOVE

Digitalis. Enormous spikes 3 to 4' tall, covered with bell-shaped flowers of pink, rose and white spotted with crimson and maroon. Blooms during July and August. This is a biennial and seed should be sown each year for blooms the next year. (Pkt. 25c) (¼ oz. 95c)

BLEEDING HEART

Dicentra Eximia. An everblooming sort with beautiful finely cut foliage and showy racemes of heart-shaped deep pink flowers from April to August. 18". (Pkt. 30c) (¼ oz. \$1.35)



HARDY ASTERS

For 100's of Blooms

These showy 2" flowers come in shades of lavender, blue and white, all with yellow centers. The 3' plants are a mass of bloom from late summer until frost. Good for background and cutting. (Pkt. 25c) (¼ oz. \$1.40)



JAPANESE IRIS

Most colorful large flatish blooms in rich purples, whites and blues, veined and throated with reds and yellows. Blooms in June and July. 1 to 1½'. (Pkt. 50c) (Jumbo Pkt. \$1.25) (¼ oz. \$2.25)

FEVERFEW

Matricaria. A free-flowering hardy perennial growing 12 to 18" tall with fine, double white flowers resembling pompon 'Mums. Blooms June to October and is one of the best all-season cut flowers. Seed sown in the spring will bloom the first year. (Pkt. 35c) (Jumbo Pkt. 90c) (¼ oz. \$1.75)

FORGET-ME-NOT

Myosotis. This is one of the best varieties with lovely, bright indigo-blue flowers. It grows to 14" and blooms continually from early spring to frost. Seed sown in the spring will bloom the first year. (Pkt. 25c) (Jumbo Pkt. 60c) (¼ oz. \$1.40)

Gypsophila

Perennial Baby's Breath

DOUBLE WHITE. A great improvement on the single-flowered types and more lasting. Feathery sprays add greatly to all mixed bouquets either fresh or dried for winter. Blooms July and August. Grows to 3'. (Pkt. 25c) (Jumbo Pkt. 60c) (¼ oz. \$1.50)

PACIFICA PINK. A rose mist of tiny single flowers in airy panicles. Extra hardy and free blooming. 3'. (Pkt. 35c) (Jumbo Pkt. 90c) (¼ oz. \$1.65)

HARDY HIBISCUS

Mallow Marvel. Huge 5 to 7" flowers on tall-growing, bushy plants. Flowers from June to October and range in color from white with red eyes through pink to very deep red. Does well in any soil. 3 to 4'. (Pkt. 25c) (Jumbo Pkt. 60c) (¼ oz. \$1.00)



ORIENTAL POPPIES

Although varieties will not come true from seed, our mixture contains a dozen or more, so that you can select just the colors you want. These giants are a must for every garden, and this is the economical way to get them. Produce 6" blooms on plants 3' high. (Pkt. 25c) (Jumbo Pkt. 60c) (¼ oz. \$1.30)



VIOLA CORNUTA

Tufted Pansy. These hardy pansies are easily grown and will bloom the first year, if started early. They are smaller than regular pansies but our mixture is the large-flowered strain in shades of blue, red, apricot, yellow and white. They bloom constantly from April until frost. The plants are only about 6" tall and are extra good for permanent edgings and rock gardens. (Pkt. 25c) (Jumbo Pkt. 60c) (¼ oz. \$1.75)

HOLLYHOCK

Early Giant Double

Very large with frilled outer petals and double rosette in center. A fine mixture of all of the Hollyhock colors. Blooms from late spring until midsummer. 4 to 5' tall. (Pkt. 25c) (¼ oz. 90c)

PLATYCODON

Chinese Bell-Flower

Its odd, balloon-like buds open in showy, deep blue flowers on tall 20" spikes. Blooms June to September, is very hardy and one of the best for cutting. (Pkt. 30c) (¼ oz. \$1.65)

ICELAND POPPIES

GARTFORD GIANTS. These dazzlers come in white, rose pink, salmon and deep reds. Beautifully frilled and fluted, many semi-double, and all with 4" flowers on 18" stems. Blooms from early summer to fall. If sown early will bloom the first year. (Pkt. 25c) (Jumbo Pkt. 60c) (¼ oz. \$1.30)

SWEET WILLIAM

Dwarf Single Mixed

A mass of round, mildly laciniated blooms borne in umbrella-like clusters. Colors white through pinks, rose shades and crimson. Many blooms with beautifully colored zones. Plants only 4 to 6" tall. (Pkt. 25c) (Jumbo Pkt. 60c) (¼ oz. \$1.30)



HARDY SWEET PEA

Lathyrus. A climbing vine for fences or trellis. The large true pea-shaped flowers are in clusters of pink, white and reddish-purple. In bloom from June until Sept. if kept picked. Fine for cutting. Will do well in poor soil and grows to 4 to 5' tall. (Pkt. 25c) (Jumbo Pkt. 60c) (oz. \$1.85)

BURGESS' GARDEN SUPPLIES

Shipped 12 Months of Year—All Prepaid

The NEW "All-Purpose"

GARDEN DUST

For Both Flowers & Vegetables

"The PERFECT Tomato Dust"

This new formula is recommended by many of the foremost agricultural experiment stations in the country. It is the best and most effective all-around garden dust that has ever been developed. It controls so many of the diseases and insects which attack your tomatoes and other vegetables that this one product is all you'll need for your vegetable garden. Also effective for flowers. Contains Malathion, Methoxychlor and Captain. Controls early and late blight, anthracnose, and Septoria Leaf Spot as well as Mexican bean beetle, leafhoppers, aphids and a wide variety of other insects. Wettable powder and may be used as a spray. (8 oz. Plastic Refillable Squeeze Duster \$1.35) (1 lb. can \$1.50) (3 lb. bag \$3.50) prepaid.



ROSE and FLORAL DUST

Controls Most Insects and Diseases

Contains the newest and most effective chemicals discovered by plant scientists for giving maximum control of those insects and diseases which commonly affect roses and most other flowers. This is a highly effective combination of two insecticides, the very versatile DDT and the very potent aphicide-miticide Malathion, and two of the very latest and very best fungicides ever discovered, CAPTAN for positive control of Black Spot and KARATHANE for equally positive control of Powdery Mildew. Also contains Sulphur. It is water soluble and may be used as a spray. (8 Oz. Refillable Squeeze Duster \$1.35) (1 Lb. Can \$1.50) (3 Lb. Bag. \$3.50).



NO "DAMP OFF"

Pano-drench

This amazing new product ends the "damping off" problems for most flowers and vegetables. It is easy to use. Simply dilute in water, drench flats or pots in which you are to start seed, and that's all! One teaspoon makes 3 gallons of solution. Seed can be planted immediately after application. Can also be used outdoors. (1 oz. bottle \$2.00) (4 oz. bottle \$5.95) prepaid.

HOUSE PLANT SPRAY BOMB

No Mess or Fuss



This handy Insecticide-Miticide protects House Plants from microscopic sucking insects that wither and discolor African Violets, Ivy, Bracken and Boston Fern, Fuchsia, Philodendron, Rubber Plants and similar plants. Kills mealy bugs, mites, aphids, exposed thrips, white flies, etc. Always ready for instant use. Just push the button to spray. No mess or fuss. Economical, long lasting and safe to use. 6 oz. bomb. (\$1.10 each) prepaid.



ROSE SPRAY BOMB

Fungicide—Insecticide—Miticide

The new Antrol Push-Button Rose Spray Insecticide Flower Bomb is the answer to better roses. It operates like a mosquito bomb. No muss, no fuss, no mixing, no pouring, no sprayer to buy. Always ready to use. Cannot hurt bloom or foliage. Complete control. Has lasting effect. Good for other flowers, too. Contains Captain, Karathane, Lindane, Pyrethrum and Rotenone. (King Size Bomb only \$1.65) prepaid.



RED-ARROW

Non-Poisonous Garden Spray

RED ARROW Garden Spray is absolutely non-poisonous to children, poultry, pets and everything but insects. Death is absolutely sure to both chewing and sucking insects. When properly used it will not burn, blight or stain the tenderest leaf, flower, petal or fruit. May be sprayed on fruit or vegetables before they are eaten, and no harmful effect can ensue on health or digestion.

RED ARROW is recommended for Rose Bugs, Aphids, Red Spiders, Leaf Hoppers, Mealy Bugs, Cabbage Worms, Tomato Worms, Wire Worms, Army Worms, Box Mites, Currant Worms, Fern Scale, Thrips, Aster Beetles, Japanese Beetles and many other beetles and bugs. 1 oz. will make 1 gal. of spray (2 oz. bottle 75c) (4 oz. bottle \$1.35) (1 pint \$3.60).



SNAKE-STOP

Keeps Snakes Out Of Lawns And Gardens

Harmless To Humans And Pets

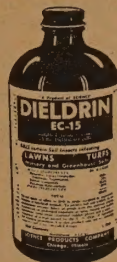
Snake-Stop is a granular material which is sifted onto the ground to create a barrier that is highly offensive to snakes. One pound will treat 420 square feet and snakes will not stay in (and seldom will enter) the treated area. Snake-Stop will also kill reptiles that come in contact with it, yet is harmless to children and pets when used according to instructions. Guaranteed completely effective against snakes of any size or variety.

1-lb. Sifter-top can.....\$2.50

DIELDRIN

Kills All Soil Insects & Termites

A powerful, long-lasting insecticide for outdoor use on lawns, gardens, shrubs, orchards, etc. Kills practically all insect pests found around the home, farm or flower garden, including Termites, clothes moths, mosquitoes, wasps, snails, slugs and spiders. (4-oz. bottle 85c) (8-oz. bottle \$1.40) (1 pt. \$2.25) (1 qt. \$3.75) postpaid.



CHLORDANE

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PROTECT CORN from EAR WORMS

All mixed and ready to use. A drop or two applied when the silk starts to turn brown does the trick. It kills the corn earworm and acts as a repellent against later infestation. Enough to treat 95 to 100 ears.

CORN EARWORM DROPS. Handy applicator with each bottle, only 85c



KILL WASPS INSTANTLY

This new wasp killer removes the danger from invading the nesting area of the wasp. Paralyzes instantly on contact

and they die where they drop. No wasp can possibly sting after contact and you don't even have to get close. With each bottle of WASP KILLER we will furnish free a plastic squeeze gun that will reach the target from 10 to 12 feet away. (8-oz. bottle \$2.25) (1 pt. \$3.25) postpaid. FREE plastic squeeze gun with each order.



from 10 to 12 Feet Away



SAVE

Trees & Shrubs From BORER-DAMAGE

Protect your trees and shrubs from borers by sprayed or brushed on BORER KILLER. IT PENETRATES deep into the bark and kills borers and their larvae feeding in the cambium and phloem layers. Positive kill for Photinia Tip Borer and Pine Tip Moth. Also kills tree ants, Bark Beetles and scale insects on Elm and Hickory. This is a must if you want healthy trees and shrubs. Comes ready to use. Not recommended for stone fruit trees.

BORER KILLER—1-quart size—\$2.75.



DDT SPRAY

(25% Emulsifiable)

A soluble solution which leaves a micro-crystalline film of DDT on foliage for greater control. Especially effective against mosquitoes, codling moth, leaf roller, thrips, leaf hopper, Colorado Potato Beetle, flea beetle, Oriental Peach Moth and Japanese Beetle. Used by commercial growers for killing CORN EAR WORMS on large plantings. (5 oz. in 1 gal. water for corn ear worms.

1 quart 25% DDT, Emulsifiable Concentrate (2 to 4 teaspoons make a gallon of spray) \$2.45.



ROTENONE NON-TOXIC SPRAY or DUST

Can be used as dust or spray on Fruits or Vegetables up to within a day of eating. Particularly useful on Asparagus, Cabbage and Broccoli for the control of beetles and worms. It is also an excellent killer of Mexican Bean Beetle, leaf hopper and strawberry weevil.

It can be safely used on pets and cattle for control of fleas, lice and ticks.

ROTENONE DUST 1%—1-lb. can.....\$1.10

ROTENONE DUST 1%—5-lb. Pkg.....\$3.50



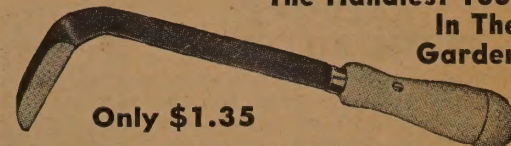
"JUST BURY A CAPSULE"

Kill Root-Crippling Pests with FUMI-SOIL

In Easy-to-Use Capsule Form

Now, with FUMI-SOIL capsules you can kill root-crippling pests foliage sprays and dusts can't reach. SAFE: Fumi-Soil can be handled with the bare hands—No rubber gloves needed. EASY TO USE: Nothing to mix—No liquids to measure—No soaking, cultivating, or mixing of fumigant with the soil required—Just bury a capsule. ACCURATE: Each capsule contains the correct dosage for 1½ sq. ft. of soil. NON-INJURIOUS TO EARTHWORMS: As Fumi-Soil moves slowly through the soil, earthworms crawl to other haunts and return when the fumigant is gone. Immobile and slow moving pests are trapped. Good for Ants, Grubs—Larvae, Nematodes, Wireworms, Garden Centipedes and Sowbugs, Moles—Landcrabs, and many others. (24 Capsules \$1.45) (100 Capsules \$3.95) (200 Capsules \$6.95) prepaid.

The Handiest Tool In The Garden



Only \$1.35

GENUINE CAPE COD WEEDER

Not a toy, but a strong, heavy, steel-bladed weeding tool with a substantial hardwood handle. The sharp cutting edge is ideal for weeding, cultivating and root cutting.

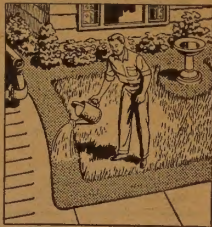
Cape Cod Weeder—9" long.....\$1.35

Burgess Seed & Plant Co. 41

Stop-GRASS

SAVE WORK of MOWING LAWN EDGES
Use Stop-Grass, the Chemical Grass Trimmer
Also Controls Crabgrass
KEEPS GRASS SHORT 4 to 5 MONTHS

Save many hours of tire-some labor. Instead of trimming lawn edges and other hard-to-mow places on your hands and knees, just spray with STOP-GRASS. This wonderful chemical makes grass grow so very slowly it hardly seems to grow at all. Grass stays short and beautifully green; doesn't have to be trimmed for as long as 4 to 5 months, if applied early in Spring.



Use on grass in difficult to mow places, along edges, flower beds, driveways, next to hedges and fences, around trees. 1½ oz. (treats 400 sq. ft.) \$1.25. 4 oz. (treats 1100 sq. ft.) \$2.25. 16 oz. (treats 4,400 sq. ft.) \$6.95 prepaid.

NOTE: STOP-GRASS may also be used for prevention of sprouting of potatoes and onions in storage, and for control of quackgrass in gardens.

Crab Grass Killer with SODAR ARTOX

Also Controls Lawn Weeds

Special Formula. SODAR, the new "Miracle Product" makes Artox the most effective weapon against Crab Grass known. It comes in powder form, and is easily mixed with water for sprinkling or spraying the infected areas of your lawn. Artox destroys Crab Grass in either mature or seedling stage and without injury to lawn grasses or ungerminated seed. Our Special Formula also contains 2, 4-D which destroys Dandelions, Plantains, Chickweed and other lawn weeds. (4 oz. can covers 1200 sq. ft. \$1.25) (1 lb. can \$3.50) prepaid.



KILL NOXIOUS WEED GRASSES

GRASS KILLER TCA 94% is a very effective formulation for the control of noxious weed grasses such as Johnson, quack, Bermuda, Muhlenbergia spp., para, brome and other annual and perennial weed grass pests of driveways, patios, tennis courts and similar areas where grass weeds are a problem. **GRASS KILLER TCA 94%** may also be used for spot treatments of weed grasses in lawns. (1½ lb. can treats 600 sq. ft., \$2.65)



WEEDONE

The Weed Killing Miracle To Control Lawn Weeds

Weedone contains the low-volatile butoxy ethanol ester 2, 4-D and 2, 4, 5-TP. Kills a wider variety of weeds and woody plants than any product containing only one of these chemicals. No vapor injury to nearby susceptible plants. Kills over 100 weeds and woody plants, including chick weed, dandelions, plantains and many other broad leaved plants. Does not kill grass. Harmless to people and pets. (Qt. can \$3.00) prepaid.

WEEDONE BRUSH KILLER 32

Weedone Brush Killer 32 contains the more powerful butoxy ethanol ester of 2, 4, 5-T and 2, 4-D. For the control of poison ivy, poison oak, wild blackberry, wild raspberry, honeysuckle, wild rose, Osage orange, wild cherry, elderberry, willow, hickory, buckbrush, sagebrush, coral berry, certain species of oaks and over 90 other woody plants. Does not kill the desirable grasses. No vapors to injure nearby susceptible crops. Non-poisonous to livestock or humans. Not recommended for lawns. (Qt. can \$3.95) prepaid.



WONDER-BREL

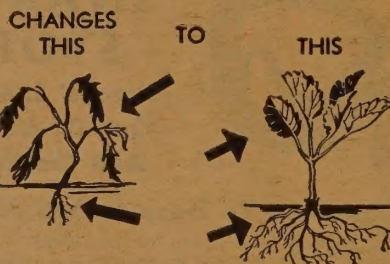
The Amazing Plant Growth Stimulant
GIBBERELIC ACID
It Makes Plants Grow GIANT SIZE

The use of WONDER-BREL can cause dramatic results. Beautiful, long-stemmed roses with more buds, on many varieties; luxuriant African Violets growing larger, producing more and bigger blooms; many plants growing to giant size. Plants grow faster, mature earlier; size and bulk are greatly increased; blooms are heavier, yields are higher; grasses grow faster, more luxuriantly than with fertilizer alone; flowering time is advanced; seeds are produced earlier; dormancy is broken; transplants are not set back; fruit-set is improved. These are some of the wonderful results obtained with WONDER-BREL on hundreds of types and varieties of plants. Gibberellic acid is still too new to know all of the wonderful things that can be accomplished. We recommend that you give Wonder-Brel a trial.



15 oz. Giant Aerosol Spray Bomb \$2.25.
 4 oz. Liquid Concentrate (Makes ½ Gallon) \$1.25.
Professional Concentrates
 8 oz. (Makes 2 gallons) \$3.00.
 1 Qt. (Makes 8 gallons) \$10.00, Prepaid.

TRANSPLANTONE



One grower tripled his Tomato crop with TRANSPLANTONE and started picking three weeks earlier. Growers say "Lettuce 10 days earlier, Cabbage 3 weeks earlier." Always use TRANSPLANTONE when moving plants. It reduces wilting and gives the plant a quicker start.

Water your shrubs, roses and garden plants with TRANSPLANTONE solution and have stronger plants. TRANSPLANTONE is a soluble powder, harmless and easy to use. 1 oz. makes 10 gallons of transplanting solution or 100 gallons of solution for watering. (½ oz. package 35c) (3 oz. can \$1.25) (1-lb. can \$4.25) prepaid.

ROOTONE Hormone Powder

For Earlier, Bigger, Better Plants

Dip Cuttings for Quicker, More Successful Rooting. Dust Flower Seeds and Bulbs for Better Germination, Stronger Plants and Earlier Flowering. Dust Vegetable Seed for Earlier and Bigger Crops.

35c Package Rootone (about ¼ oz.)—Will treat up to 400 cuttings; 2½ to 10 lbs. of seed; 25 to 30 seed packets; or 100 bulbs—just right for the small gardener. (Pkt. 35c) (2 oz. Jar \$1.25) (1 lb. \$5.00)

FRUITONE—Increases Yields

Stops Premature Drop of Flowers—Fruits—Leaves

FRUITONE, the hormone spray, helps pollination, thus produces better set of fruit. Some varieties of fruit trees and berry plants that ordinarily do not set fruit unless a male plant is near to fertilize the flowers on the female plants, can be made to set fruit without the use of pollen, by spraying with FRUITONE when plants are in bloom. Spraying with FRUITONE has given as much as a 30% increase in yield of Beans; 35 to 50% increase of Cotton; and 12 more bushels of corn per acre.

FRUITONE stops premature drop of apples and other fruits. Contains the same chemicals found by the United States Department of Agriculture to be most effective. Holds apples on the tree to maturity of size and color.

2-oz. package (enough for 25 gallons of spray), \$1.30; 12-oz. can (enough for 150 gallons), \$5.00.

SEED INOCULATION

Inoculating beans, peas and sweet peas hastens maturity, increases the yield and enriches the soil. Supplied in Garden Size sufficient for 6 lbs. of seed. (25c each) prepaid.

Make Your Own Plants with AIRWRAP KIT

Roots Trees, Shrubs, Roses, Flowers
"Make" Your Own in Weeks Instead of Years

The air-layering method of plant propagation is well known and widely used among professional horticulturists. With it they are able to grow in weeks large plants that might take years to grow by other means. This is done by making a branch of a tree, vine or shrub produce a root system while still attached to the parent plant from which it gets vital support and nourishment. When the branch develops a sufficiently strong root system, it is cut off and planted by itself—thus a new tree, shrub or vine is born. This may be done indoors or out. Instructions are also given for propagating house plants, flowers, etc.



The AIRWRAP KIT provides the materials and instructions. The material is a special plastic, coated on one side with a water soluble material containing plant foods, hormones, insecticides and fungicides. It is wrapped around the spot to be rooted, using Sphagnum Moss as a growing medium (all materials are furnished), so that all growth materials are available. AIRWRAP has special property of retaining moisture and at the same time permitting the passage of respiratory gases that form during the growing process. AIRWRAP KIT (complete) only \$2.25 prepaid.

"Nodampoff" SPHAGNUM MOSS

Safest Germinating and Growing Medium

For germinating seeds indoors, and for many indoor growing plants, you will have better success with weed-free, finely ground sphagnum moss. Seeds germinate faster and grow better. They are protected by this sterile medium. There is no danger of overwatering; they are easier to transplant; clean to use. This moss can also be used for house plants, and bulbs, and it is excellent to mix with soil. Package contains approximately 5 qts. (\$1.25 each) prepaid.

Aluminum SEED & PLANT TRAYS

Ideal for Starting Seeds Indoors

Here is a handy inexpensive "flat" for starting seeds and growing house plants indoors. These aluminum trays are 7½x7½x1½" and will nest into each other for convenient storing. They are light in weight and can be used year after year. Also excellent for making jello, baking and food storage in refrigerator or freezer. (Package of 10 Trays only \$1.10) prepaid.

PLANT-FOOD TABLETS

Feed Your Houseplants



A complete fertilizer, plus Vitamin B₁, in easy-to-use tablet form. Clean, odorless and reliable. Have more beautiful, faster growing plants and flowers. Complete instructions with each package. **PLANTABBS**—(90 tablets, 60c) (200 tablets, \$1.00) (1,000 tablets, \$3.50)

Best Control for Squash Bugs

20% SABADILLA DUST

Absolutely safe, as it contains no DDT or arsenicals. Complete directions sent with every order. (1 lb. \$1.10) (5 lbs. \$3.50) prepaid.



National Eezy Wear
Garden Gloves

ALL LEATHER—WASHABLE
Soft—Comfortable—Durable

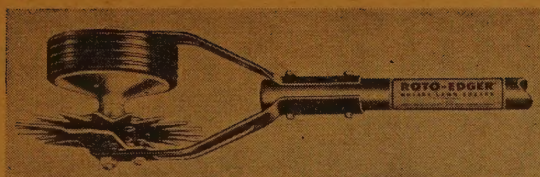
Outwear 6 pairs of ordinary fabric gloves, are washable and can be used the year 'round for garden, housework, yard, painting, furnace, garage, etc.

They are made of soft, pliant lamb leather that contains healing natural lanolin to help keep hands in good condition. They are tough, durable and absolutely dirt-proof.

WOMEN'S GLOVES. Size 6 (Small); Size 7 (Medium); Size 8 (Large); \$1.75 per pair, prepaid.

MEN'S GLOVES. Size 8 (Small); Size 9 (Medium); Size 10 (Large); \$1.75 per pair, prepaid.

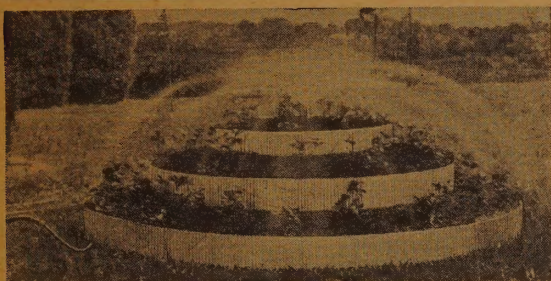
Be sure to specify size on your order.



ROTO-EDGER Rotary Lawn Shears

Faster, Easier Trimming & Edging

Here is a really practical tool that every gardener needs and wants. It is an efficient, positive edger and trimmer, that keeps your sidewalk line neat, trim around flower beds, trees, hedges, foundations and any place a trimmer is needed. It eliminates bending, stooping and kneeling—actually makes trimming a pleasure. This precision-built tool is made for years of service, and is absolutely guaranteed. It is also self-sharpening, and its factory-sharp cutting edge will seldom need maintenance or adjustment of any kind. Truly a revolutionary new tool. (\$5.95 each) prepaid.



PYRAMID GARDEN

Perfect Lawn Display for Annuals, Vegetables and Strawberries With New Built-In Sprinkler

The new Pyramid Garden is the easy way to triple use of space in the garden. It's more beautiful, too, because the three aluminum terraces are made of corrugated metal, which makes them more attractive and sturdier. On top of this, a built-in sprinkler, which connects to your hose, takes care of the moisture problem.

The Pyramid Garden will easily hold 50 Strawberry plants, or as many annuals or vegetables or combinations; all easily planted and easy to take care of. Made of heavy-gauge, non-rusting aluminum, it will last for years. The bottom ring is 6' in diameter, and the band itself 5" deep. It builds up to three terraces. Simple to put together. Simply fill each terrace as aluminum band is put in place. Use good garden soil. May be removed and stored or left in place. (\$9.95 each) prepaid.



Sets Up Easily Ready to Use

IN-THE-ROW PLASTIC GREENHOUSE

This miniature plastic greenhouse cover rows from 5 to 25' long protecting plants from frost, wind and rain. Petunias and tomatoes, for instance, are protected to 25°, and lettuce to 10°. Covered plants grow faster, stronger; yield more and bigger flowers and vegetables weeks earlier. Ventilating openings prevent overheating, permit inspection, cultivation. Lasts for several seasons.

No. 5, 5' long, 12" wide, 12" high. (\$2.00 each) prepaid.
No. 36, 25' long, 12" wide, 12" high. (\$5.00 each) prepaid.
No. 54, 25' long, 24" wide, 18" high. (\$7.50 each) prepaid.

PLASTIC MULCH

Kills Weeds, Holds Moisture

Just lay this black, polyethylene plastic film down between the rows of your garden, weight down with soil, and weeds just won't grow, because the black plastic cuts off sunlight. They never get a chance. Plastic keeps soil moist, acts as insulator, too; keeps ground warm even on cold nights. Plants mature earlier, growing bigger, stronger. Saves a whole season's cultivating! (No. 12, 100' long, 12" wide \$2.50) (No. 18, 100' long, 18" wide \$3.50) (No. 36, 100' long, 36" wide \$6.00) (No. 1000, 1000' long, 36" wide \$36.00) prepaid.



NEW! DIFFERENT!

TRAIN-ETTS Trellis Netting

A new, easy to install trellis for growing your vines up off the ground. Can be hung in 5 minutes, to take the place of clumsy wires and poles. These are specially treated nets that do not rot so last for several seasons. Comes in three lengths. All are 5 ft. high.

No. 1 6 ft. long.... 75c each prepaid
No. 2 8 ft. long....\$1.00 each prepaid
No. 3 15 ft. long....\$1.40 each prepaid

FLYING DISK

Scare Birds and Animals Away

Amazing protection for newly planted seeds, berries, tender seedlings, trees, etc. Made of shining aluminum. They spin and whirl madly in all directions—give blinding reflections and weird jingling, crackling sounds. Easily strung up. (Pkg. of 10 for 40c)



'TWIST-EMS'

The Quick, Neat, Permanent PLANT-TIE

Strong, dark green, "invisible" tapes with wire reinforcing—protect stems, permanently support annuals, perennials, vines, shrubs and vegetables. Millions used by professional and amateur gardeners. Price includes postage.
BOX OF 100, 8-INCH SIZE, 35c
BOX OF 100, 16-INCH SIZE, 65c. PREPAID
250-FOOT SPOOL, \$1.15.

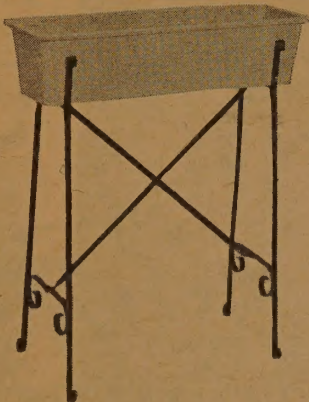
Make Your Own Organic Fertilizer

ACTIVO

It Converts Leaves and Garden Trash to Valuable Fertilizer

COMPOST ACTIVATOR—SOIL ENERGIZER—Just sprinkle Activo on the kitchen waste, leaves, garden rubbish, etc., to make the best type of organic fertilizer easily and quickly—often in as little time as 3 weeks. Organic! Use Activo also directly in soil, mulches, hotbeds, etc., for more "grow-power," better balance. Complete instructions included with each order.

No. 2 size, treats up to 400 lbs. compost...\$1.50
No. 7 size, treats up to 2400 lbs. compost...\$3.35
Special Offer—3 No. 7 size for only.....\$7.95



Won't Rot, Rust or Peel

FIBER GLASS PLANTER

A strong Fiber Glass Planter Box that is practically indestructible (should not be confused with other less durable materials). It is watertight, will not fade, unaffected by soil acids, alkalis or fertilizers. Attractive on stand as pictured, or on brackets on side of house or porch. Used outdoors on brackets during the growing season, they can be brought indoors on stands for planters during the winter.

Fiber Glass Planter Box—green color—
36" long, 5 3/4" deep, 8" wide at top....\$4.00
Black Iron Stand—25" high.....\$4.00
Cadmium-plated Wall Bracket—Per Pair...\$1.00

Larger Berries—Bigger Crops with BERRY-SET



Makes berries grow much larger—often 50% to 100% BIGGER—meatier—sweeter—most luscious tasting. Increases berry yields greatly. Strawberries have fewer seeds. Sprayed berry plants bear ripe fruit over a longer period of time; therefore gardeners enjoy a longer season, get greater enjoyment and greater value from their berry plants. This new scientific "Hormone" powder effective on ALL berries. 1 oz. package makes 4 gallons. (1 oz. 50c) (3 oz. \$1.00) (12 oz. \$3.00) prepaid.

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TREE TANGLEFOOT

Tree Tanglefoot is a non-drying sticky compound, used to encircle the trunks of trees, thereby preventing climbing insects from reaching foliage, buds or fruit. It can also be used for vines, shrubs and other plants. It is useful on window sills to repel birds. No mixing or preparation required. Lasts full season. (Handy push-button aerosol can \$2.25) (6 oz. tube \$1.00) (Lb. can \$1.75) prepaid.

TREE PAINT

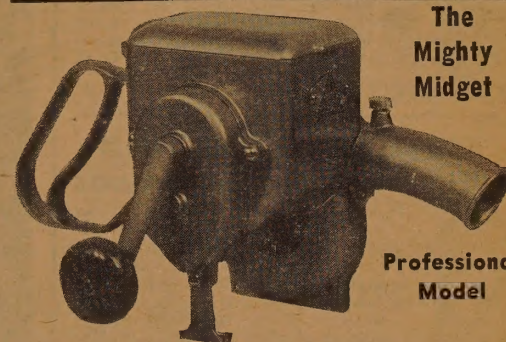
TANGLEFOOT TREE PAINT is an all purpose, all weather tree wound dressing containing an effective antiseptic ingredient. It provides a coating which protects against weather and pests during the time required for new growth to close wound. The fungicide used is Copper Naphthenate which is highly effective yet free from hazards of use. (3 Oz. Can with Brush 95c) prepaid.

SEE ORDER SHEET FOR DESCRIPTION OF

STANDARD MISTO SPRAYER...\$3.00
DELUXE MISTO SPRAYER.....\$5.00

BULB and PLANT SETTER

This handy tool makes the type of hole best suited for bulbs. They do best when planted with their roots resting on a firm flat base free from air-pockets. Merely cut the tool into the soil, remove it with a slight twisting motion and the soil comes with it, leaving a clean, flat-bottomed hole in which plants or bulbs may be set. (\$1.15 each).



The Mighty Midget

Professional Model

MIDGET DUSTER

Throws 8-Foot Dust Stream

High Speed—Easy Turning—Uniform Discharge—No Clogging—Adjustable Feed Control—Light Handling. An engineering masterpiece especially designed for the home gardener. Weighs only 1 1/4 lbs. and holds enough powder in one filling to cover 200 Rose Bushes. Duster is made of rust-proof metal alloy, even to its pistol-grip handle. The gears are sturdy enough to continue operating indefinitely. No gardener should be without it, as it handles all types of powdered insecticides and fungicides. The Mighty Midget Duster only \$9.95.

Burgess Seed & Plant Co.

DORMANT OIL SPRAY



Protects Fruit Trees
And Ornamentals
Thru The Winter

Pratt's Scalecide. The oldest and best known dormant oil spray for fruit trees, shade trees and ornamentals. Kills scale, aphids, red mite, bud moth, spruce gall, red spider and similar over-wintering insects.

SCALECIDE—1 quart (enough for 12 gal. of spray) \$1.95.

K-PELLS DOG REPELLENT

Hang Them on Branches



A dog repellent that is really easy to use. Pellets, with wire inserted in each, are made to hang on branches to keep dogs, cats and other animals away. Place just where you need them. Full protection all season. Will not wash away. Green in color—can hardly be seen. (Pkg. of 11 only \$1.00) prepaid.

RIDZ OUTDOOR DOG REPELLENT



Here's a repellent guaranteed to really work. There's no mess—no fuss—no harmful fumes—just aim and a touch of your finger leaves a protective coat that dogs, cats and other animals don't like. Spray it on shrubs, hedges, tree trunks, fence posts, trash cans, auto tires or wherever you have a dog problem. Won't burn plants or blister paint. Contains a special agent to withstand the elements. Goes further, lasts longer. Easy to use, no mixing, no pouring, no sprayer to buy or clean.

RIDZ OUTDOOR 10 oz. Aerosol Can...\$1.65

RIDZ INDOOR DOG & CAT REPELLENT

For keeping dogs and cats from ruining your furnishings, you will want **INDOOR RIDZ**. It is the best on the market for this purpose and it is stainless. It can be sprayed directly on furniture, rugs, etc.

RIDZ INDOOR—5-oz. Push Button Can...\$1.35

SUMMER PROTECTION

from RABBITS and DEER



Just spray the foliage with **Z.I.P.** and keep rabbits and deer out of your garden during the summer months. (For winter protection, use **M-S Repellent**.) Can be used on all flowers and shrubs, but only on the non-edible portion of vegetables, as it leaves a residue that would make them distasteful. Spraying the ground around such vegetables usually is sufficient for protection. It works fine on any young vegetables and flowers without damage. Comes in 2 sizes.

Z.I.P. REPELLENT—6-oz. Aerosol can...\$1.25

WINTER PROTECTION

from RABBITS and RODENTS



Do Rabbits chew off the tops of your trees, shrubs or berry plants in the winter? If so, you need safe and sure **M-S Repellent**. Easy to apply from handy push-button cans. Simply spray on bark of dormant trees and shrubs. (For summer protection, use **Z.I.P. REPELLENT**.) One application lasts all winter. Snow or rain will not wash it off. Repels all rodents. Developed by scientists of the U. S. Dept. of Interior—Fish and Wildlife Service. Comes in 2 sizes.

M-S REPELLENT 5-oz. Aerosol Can...\$1.35
M-S REPELLENT 12-oz. Aerosol Can... 2.55

SHOE SENTINEL



All gardeners and farmers should have this practical shoe **BRUSH-SCRAPER** Combination. Guards polished floors and valuable rugs from grit and grime. Black rustproof steel frame and scraper bar. Long lasting plastic bristle brushes. Shoe Sentinel only \$3.50.

"All-Purpose" FRUIT SPRAY

The Perfect Answer for the "Small" Fruit Grower

- ONE Spray for Use All Spring and Summer
- No need to Mix Your Own Chemicals
- Just ADD WATER and SPRAY

Fruit spraying in the small garden or orchard has now become not only practical, but easy. Gone are the days of mixing chemicals, heavy spray equipment and great expense. All of this complicated and expensive procedure has become quite unnecessary with the development of the

"All-Purpose" Fruit Spray, and the high-pressure, small (and inexpensive) spray equipment.

Time was when you had to buy chemicals in bulk quantities (many of them highly poisonous, too), and mix them yourself at great effort. Our Fruit Spray is complete and ready to use. It contains such new insecticides as **Malathion** and **Methoxychlor**, and the new wonder fungicide **Captan**, which have been so heartily recommended by most experiment stations.

It is simple to prepare for use. Just add the powder to water in any quantity you need, whether it is a gallon or a barrel. It mixes immediately and you can be spraying in a matter of minutes. What is more, you use the same spray throughout the season and it will control most all diseases and pests. This same spray can also be used effectively on many shrubs, evergreens, etc. Complete directions are given on each package. 1 Lb. makes 16 gallons of spray.



WHAT IT CONTROLS

"All-Purpose" Fruit Spray can be used on Apples, Plums, Pears, Quince, Roses, Cherries, Peaches, Apricots, Berries, Evergreens, Grapes, and many other trees and shrubs. Here is what it controls:

Aphids	European Red Mite
Mealy Bug	Red Spider
Codling Moth	Oriental Fruit Moth
Twig Borer	Grape Berry Moth
Pear Thrip	Grape Leaf Hopper
Japanese Beetle	Peach Twig Borer
Pear Psylla	Apple and Pear Scab
Cedar Rust	Sooty Blotch
Quince Rust	Curculio
Brown Rot	

And Other Diseases and Pests
FOR DORMANT (Winter Control) SPRAY—USE SCALECIDE



The trombone-type De Luxe **SPRAYALL** in operation and spraying the top of a tree. Note that a child can operate it. Insert shows detail of Swivel Nozzle.

LOW PRICES for "All-Purpose" FRUIT SPRAY

(8 Oz. only \$1.25)

(1 Lb. only \$2.40)

(3 Lbs. only \$6.50)

All Prepaid

De Luxe SPRAYALL

Best Home Sprayer

Here is the finest home orchard sprayer (see photo at left), unlike anything you have seen before. It has all of the necessary features of a big power-operated sprayer, yet it is built into a home appliance and costs a bare fraction of the heavy equipment. It features the following: (1) constructed of machined brass with 100% Neoprene hose—resistant to any spray solution; (2) finger-tip control of all adjustments; (3) double-action, continuous spray with 150 lbs. pressure at the nozzle; (4) no parts to change or mislay; (5) no tank to clean or carry; (6) hose placed in any ordinary bucket containing spray solution; (7) adjustable swivel nozzle sprays from fog mist to a full stream in any direction as high as 35 feet. The pressure is developed from the in-and-out pumping action of the two parts of the brass tubing. The action is similar to that used in playing a trombone, and requires little more effort.

De Luxe **SPRAYALL** COMPLETE with Swivel Nozzle and 12" Telescopic Extension only \$9.95 prepaid.



Little Giant SPRAYALL

Throws 20' Spray



The Little Giant is constructed on the same principle and made of the same materials as the De Luxe Model, except it is smaller, has a half-gallon jar for spray solution, and is effective to 20'. A very practical sprayer for all purposes, including small fruit trees. **COMPLETE** only \$4.95 prepaid.



GARDEN MASTER

The handy all-purpose sprayer for fertilizers, wettable powders and concentrated liquids. Just place them in the plastic container, hook up the garden hose, and pull the trigger for positive control. Universally adjustable nozzle lets you spray in all directions. Also separate attachment for gentle mist spraying. All brass working parts.

Handles 6 gallons of finished spray mixture at each filling. Garden Master, \$9.50.

Two Best LIQUID FERTILIZERS

RA-PID-GRO Sensational Plant Food

RA-PID-GRO is a concentrated fertilizer shipped in dry form. You need only to add water and apply according to directions. One pound of RA-PID-GRO in 22 gallons of water will make 176 pounds of liquid fertilizer at less than $\frac{1}{2}$ ¢ per pound. RA-PID-GRO contains no filler found in many fertilizers, so ask yourself, which is the best diet for your plants?



Growing plants should be fed regularly during the growing season and all food must be in liquid form before roots can absorb it. When RA-PID-GRO is used according to instructions you are applying a liquid fertilizer ready for plants to use. Help trees, shrubs and plants recover from the shock of transplanting by dipping the roots in a solution of RA-PID-GRO before planting.

Analysis: Nitrogen 23%; Phosphoric Acid 21%; Potash 17%. Also contains Vitamins B₁ and B₂.

Prepaid

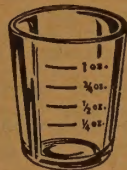
6 oz. bag (makes 18 qts. or 36 lbs.)	\$0.60
1 lb. can (makes 22 gal. or 176 lbs.)	 1.50
5 lb. can (makes 110 gal. or 880 lbs.)	 4.75
10 lb. can (makes 220 gal. or 1760 lbs.)	 9.00

GARDEN-LIFE The "High-Analysis" Fertilizer

Garden-Life has the highest analysis (10% Nitrogen, 52% Phosphoric Acid, 17% Potash) of any soluble plant food we know. This means that you get more actual plant food in each pound. Two prominent mid-west Universities have recommended this exact formula.



Garden-Life is highly effective as a plant starter and equally so for a regularly applied plant food for lawns, flowers, vegetables, trees, shrubs and all plants. It is one of the finest plant foods for house plants.

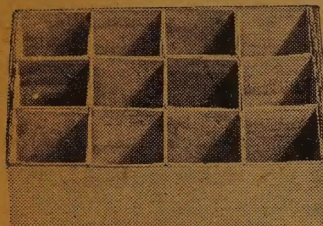


Use it at the rate of 1 oz. (2 tablespoons) to each gallon of water. You'll grow bigger and better plants of all kinds.

Measure included free in 3 large Garden Life sizes only.

5 oz. (Makes 5 to 10 gallons)	\$0.55
14 oz. (Makes 14 to 28 gallons)	 1.25
2 lbs. (Makes 32 to 64 gallons)	 2.35
5 lbs. (Makes 80 to 160 gallons)	 4.95

All Prepaid



VENEER PLANT BANDS—Better Plants and Earlier Crops

Give your flower and vegetable plants a better chance by using Plant Bands for starting seedlings indoors. Better roots and no transplanting set-back for earlier crops. Inexpensive and easy to use. Complete instructions with each order. We offer only the 2½ inch size which is the most popular for annual garden plants. Plant Bands only (100 for \$1.65) prepaid.

(500 for \$5.75) (1,000 for \$9.50) prepaid.

PEAT POTS For Earlier, Better Crops and Bigger Profits—THE PLANT EATS THE POT

PEAT POTS offer the best medium for starting plants. They are convenient to use, as the pot is planted right along with the plant when being set in the garden. They not only hold moisture, but furnish food for the plant. Plant growth is unchecked in transplanting, as the roots are not disturbed. In fact, the roots grow right through the walls of the pot. PEAT POTS are ideal for starting vegetable and flower plants as well as starting your own transplants from slips.



To conserve space and prevent damping off, we suggest starting seedlings in our aluminum trays with sphagnum moss. When the seedlings are large enough to handle, transplant to PEAT POTS where they can remain. They then can be set in the garden when large enough or when danger from frost is past.

We offer the 2¼" size for flower and small vegetable plants and the 3" size for vegetable and large flower plants. Your choice of round or square pots.

Prepaid Prices of ROUND Peat Pots

2¼"—(Carton of 100, \$2.50)	(Carton of 250, \$5.00)
3"—(Carton of 100, \$3.65)	(Carton of 250, \$8.00)

Prepaid Prices of SQUARE Peat Pots

2¼"—(Carton of 100, \$2.75)	(Carton of 250, \$5.85)
3"—(Carton of 100, \$3.85)	(Carton of 250, \$8.25)

PEAT POTS are not sold in broken cartons, but will keep indefinitely. Any that are not used this year will be good later.

GOLDEN DUSTER

For Spraying & Dusting

Fast and easy to use. It will operate when loaded with only small amounts of powders or liquids. The material is placed in the inner tube and is expelled by sliding like a trombone. Positive feed assures trouble-free operation. Will not clog, rust or corrode.

GOLDEN DUSTER ...\$3.00



HOTKAPS



Start your Garden Earlier this year—with HOTKAPS
Protect Plants
Against
FROST—STORM
BIRDS—INSECTS

Hotkaps Plant Protectors retain beneficial warmth of sun and maintain perfect moist mulch. Seeds germinate faster and tender seedlings are protected. Tests show growth increase up to 50%. (Home Garden Pkg. of 20 with Setter, \$1.25) (100 with Setter, \$4.95) (250 with Setter, \$8.25)



PLANT-RITE SEEDER

Plant-Rite takes the backache out of planting seeds. Simply load seeds into container, dial the proper setting and push Plant-Rite along the row as you walk upright. No more stooping or crawling. Plants seed faster and more accurately than by hand. Quick changes are made between varieties of seed. Plant-Rite can also be used as a "side-row" fertilizer spreader. Complete directions furnished with each seeder. Price only \$5.00.

Check the Weather

with

"Weather Chek"
RAIN-WIND
TEMPERATURE
All in One Gauge
EVERY HOUSEHOLD
SHOULD HAVE ONE



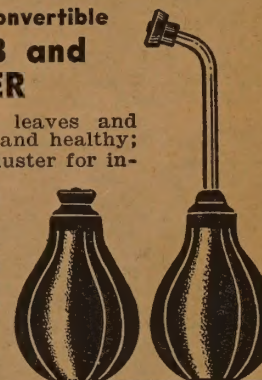
ONLY
\$2.00

It not only tells the amount of rain or snowfall, it has a scale for recording total amount for any given period. When mounted on post or fence, it rotates to give wind direction and wind velocity. The thermometer is accurate and easily read. All the above on one instrument.

"WEATHER CHEK" GAUGE.....only \$2.00

All Purpose—Convertible SPRABULB and DUSTER

It sprays under leaves and keeps plants clean and healthy; easily converts to duster for insects and diseases. Has dozens of household uses. Made of soft rubber. Two nozzles included, one for liquid and one for dust. (8 oz. \$1.50 each) (12 oz. \$2.10 each) prepaid.



"Dirty Bird"

ROOST
NO
MORE

Keeps Birds Away

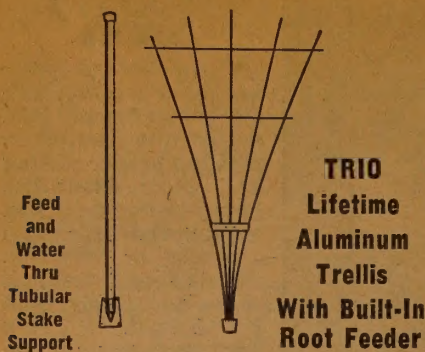
Is your home one of the millions of private and public buildings disfigured every year by the droppings from roosting birds? Are you awakened and annoyed at the break of dawn by the cawing, chattering and cooing of unwanted nuisance birds roosting or nesting near your bedroom windows?

Put an end to this annoyance from Pigeons, Starlings and other unwanted feathered callers whose roosting habits have become a nuisance.

ROOST NO MORE is a compound that birds find most unpleasant under foot. It is in no way harmful to the birds, has no unpleasant odor, is easy to apply and lasts for over a year under most weather conditions. Simply apply to sills, eaves and other areas that you want to keep free from birds.

Handy Aerosol can.....\$2.50

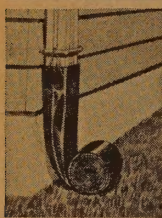
Sponge Rubber NEEGARDS Listed on Page 18



TRIO
Lifetime
Aluminum
Trellis
With Built-In
Root Feeder

Feed and Water Thru Tubular Stake Support.

Lifetime aluminum, the modern outdoor decorative material, retains its "new look" after long exposure—**NO DETERIORATION FROM ROT OR RUST—NO PERIODICAL REPAINTING AND REPAIR.** Tubular aluminum used throughout for strength and durability. Easy to assemble in minutes. Trellis 54" high, 33" wide. Mounts to 32" root feeder mounting post with two U-bolts. Complete trellis and root feeder mounting post \$5.95 (2 for \$10.00) postpaid.



"RAIN-DRAIN"
When It Rains It Drains
Relief From
Downspout
Grief

No more gullies and washed-out lawn areas. No more basement seepage from flooding downspouts. **RAIN-DRAIN** is

a heavy plastic sleeve that attaches easily to the downspout and is rolled neatly out of the way ready for immediate action when needed. When it rains, **RAIN-DRAIN** unrolls automatically and carries the water away from the house and distributes it through dozens of small holes that gently spreads the water from the heaviest downpour, without flooding or damage to the lawn.

RAIN-DRAIN (8 ft.).....\$1.00
3 RAIN-DRAINS for.....\$2.50

HAND GARDEN TOOLS

Triple Chromed & Made To Last

GARDEN TROWEL (Blade 5 3/4" x 3")

TRANSPLANT TROWEL (Blade 6" x 2")

FISH-TAIL WEEDER (11 1/4" long)

CLAW WEEDER (16" long)

Special Offer

While They Last—All 4—\$3.00



SUDBURY SOIL TEST KITS

No one is smart enough to know, by the looks of soil or by its smell, if it contains sufficient plants foods; nor can you tell whether it is "sweet" or "sour." But now, thanks to a Sudbury Soil Test Kit, you can give yourself the extra profit and thrill of outstanding success in everything you plant. Whether you grow Hay or Hollyhocks, Soybeans or Snapdragons, you can grow them more abundantly. In the matter of minutes you can determine the needs of your soil for Nitrogen, Phosphorus and Potash, as well as the amount of lime required. Easy to use—no knowledge of chemistry needed—simply mix the solutions with soil samples and read the color results. All supplies, charts and complete easy-to-understand instructions are furnished. Instruction book shows acidity (pH) preference of grains, lawn grasses, flowers, shrubs, trees and vegetables.

POPULAR GARDEN MODEL (See Photo Above). Make 50 individual tests; complete with all instructions. Only \$7.25 prepaid.

HOME GARDEN MODEL. Make 20 individual tests; complete with all instructions. Only \$4.25 prepaid.



WATER-MINDER

Turns Water Off
Automatically
Perfect
For
Night
Watering

Not a toy or gadget but a precision instrument. Fits any standard hose or water outlet, is water actuated so there is no clock mechanism to get out of order. No parts to break, nothing can rust. Made of high-grade, non-corrosive material, and fully guaranteed for a full year against defective workmanship. Just set the dial and you get up to 4 hours of controlled sprinkling. **Water-Minder.....\$7.95 postpaid.**



YEAR-AROUND SELF FEEDER FOR BIRDS

Indestructible
Plastic
(Holds 2 lbs. of Seed)

Made of polyethylene—unbreakable, rustproof, dentproof and weatherproof. The feeder is 9 inches high, with a hood 9 1/2 inches in diameter to shelter both the feed and the birds. Holds more than 2 lbs. of wild bird seed. Threaded cover permits easy filling. Green hood and base. Frost-white see-thru seed container. **Plastic Bird Feeder...\$1.95**

EVEN CHEMISTS
are ASTOUNDED! **WITH FABULOUS PROPERTIES OF NEW DISCOVERY**

Mends or Repairs

Any Known

Material From

Cloth To Steel.

There's Nothing

Else Like It.

Use it on cloth, canvas,

rubber, glass, wood, plastic,

china, leather, porcelain,

metal. Dries water-

proof, flexible and clear.

40 times stronger. (\$1.00

each) prepaid.

KLING-KOTE
LIQUID
CLOTH



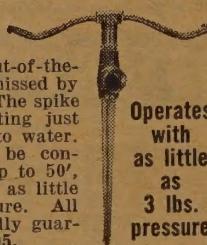
INSTANT LEAF SHINE



Safe, Fast and Easy to use. Instant Results with new push button spray. No Messy Fingers from daubers or rags. Harmless to Plants, giving a lasting lustre to hard textured leaves such as Ivy, Philodendron, etc. Shine Up Fruits and Vegetables or decorative foliage for added beauty. 5-oz. Spray Bomb \$1.00.

LAWN and GARDEN SPRINKLER

A useful extra sprinkler that is handy to reach those out-of-the-way spots often missed by other sprinklers. The spike base allows spotting just where you want to water. The spread can be controlled from 3' up to 50', as it operates on as little as 3 lbs. pressure. All aluminum and fully guaranteed. Only \$2.95.



Operates with as little as 3 lbs. pressure

IS YOUR SOIL ACID?

Many Plants Require Acid Soil

Test your own soil for acidity. This test kit contains soil indicator solution with measuring dropper, two porcelain test plates, a plastic sample sack, test chart and complete instructions, all contained in an attractive pocket-size plastic case. **LAMOTTE ACIDITY TEST KIT...\$2.00**

Luxuriant Lawns and Gardens

THIS NEW
EASY WAY



VITAMIST
VITAMIZE
AS YOU SPRINKLE

NEW—simple, easy, quick way to VITAMIZE your entire lawn and garden. Assure yourself of gorgeous, luxuriant flowers and a beautiful, attractive lawn that will be the envy of your friends and neighbors.

NO FUSS—NO MESS—NO BOTHER

Simply remove the nozzle from your garden hose, drop a **VITAMIST** Cartridge into the hose, replace the nozzle and turn on the water. **NOTHING ELSE LIKE IT.** One Cartridge will **VITAMIZE** 1,500 square feet.

THIRTY WEEKS' SUPPLY...Postpaid
Packed 30 cartridges in a box—enough to **VITAMIZE** 1,500 square feet once a week for 30 weeks. **\$100**

SOIL-SOAKER

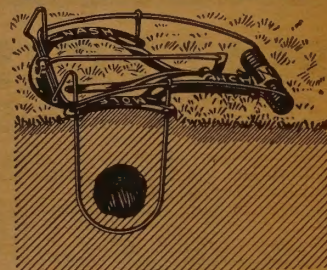
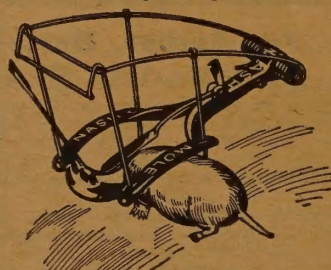
LIKE ALL NIGHT RAIN

Water seeps through entire length gently—no spray—puts water where you want it—all soaks to the roots. Made of scientifically treated, mildew resistant canvas, one end screws to water hose, other end closed. Water seeps through every pore, soaks directly into the soil over an area of several feet on all sides. No spray—no waste on walks, driveways, in street—no excessive evaporation. Ideal for lawns, terraces, flower and vegetable gardens, hedges, shrubs, trees, etc. Savings on water bills, as much as 25%. (12-foot length, \$2.10) (18-foot length, \$2.95) (30-foot length, \$4.25) (50-foot length, \$6.50) prepaid.



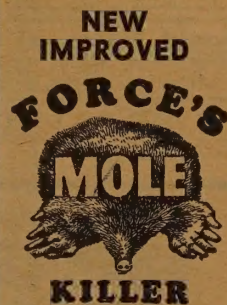
NASH MOLE TRAP

The Only Trap That Always Catches the Mole



Tests by the Iowa Agricultural Experiment Station show this type of trap as being by far the most effective. On the campus at Iowa State College, where moles were doing considerable damage, the three different types of traps were tested. Seventy-five moles were trapped, seventy of which were caught in Nash traps.

This trap catches the mole when it comes from either direction. The trigger is located where the mole in passing will always spring the trap and can not fail being caught by one of the loops. \$3.65 each, prepaid.



Mole Killer

Kills the Moles in the Ground

No Traps No Gas

No Exposed Poison

Guaranteed to Kill Moles

or Money Refunded

Use according to the simple instructions with each package. Guaranteed to kill the moles or purchase price will be refunded. To quickly eradicate the entire family of moles, place these Pellets in all visible runways, at intervals of two feet. Moles readily seek these Pellets, eat them and die. These Pellets if placed around the edge and throughout a freshly made flower bed, will eliminate the loss of bulbs or plants. A Newly Formulated bait now including dried fruits, grains and vegetables recently found to be readily eaten by moles.

Prepaid 55 Pellet Package, 55c **Prepaid**
130 Pellet Package \$1.10 **625 Pellet Package \$3.25**

FLOWERING POT PLANTS FOR HOUSE OR PATIO

Do not confuse Burgess' Select House Plants with the many "cheap" offers you find in the Sunday Supplements. All are well-rooted, thrifty young plants, grown in pots. Our guarantee of quality assures you of top-grade plants. Nothing else is shipped.

House plants are shipped all winter except in near-zero weather when they may be held up for a few days. We guarantee safe arrival. We cannot safely ship House Plants during

hot weather after the first week in June. All orders received after that date will be held until we resume shipping again in September.

NOTE! The plants on this page are all excellent House Plants. Most of them are adapted to summer window-boxes and outdoor flower beds, in the North. They are also among the most popular garden and patio plants in warm climates.



TRAILING IVY GERANIUMS

The flowers are brilliant clear colors and literally cover the plant all summer. Ideal for trailing over stone walls and better than real Ivy for sunny porch and window boxes. Finest blooming trailer for indoors and out. Ivy-shaped foliage. Not winter hardy in the North. Your choice of Pink, Purple, Red or White. (95c each) (3 for \$2.50) (6 for \$4.50).

IVY GERANIUM COLLECTION

One plant each of Pink, Purple, Red and White for only \$3.20, postpaid.

Curious STARFISH FLOWER

A branching, succulent plant from Africa (Stapelia), somewhat resembling a Cactus, although it has no thorns. Produces grotesque, star-shaped flowers nearly 2" across, spotted yellow and brown in unusual designs. A very attractive plant and a great curiosity for everyone who sees it. (\$1.10 each) (2 for \$1.95).

CHINESE HIBISCUS

The Chinese Hibiscus is one of the showiest tropical plants in existence. It makes an excellent house plant in the North and has proven to be one of the most popular shrubs in the South and West.

AMERICAN BEAUTY. Double-pink.

CELIA. Double carmine.

EVERGLADES. Double bright yellow.

Your choice of varieties (\$1.50 each) (2 for \$2.70).

CHINESE HIBISCUS COLLECTION

One (1) each of all 3 above only \$3.75 postpaid.

QUEEN of the NIGHT

From Tropical America—comes this exotic Cactus. You can actually see the petals move as the breathtaking beauty of its lovely flower unfolds. This variety, (Epiphyllum oxypetalum) has no thorns and it blooms 4 to 6 times each year. The enormous, waxy, white flowers are 8 to 10 inches' across and nearly a foot long; they open only in black of night, when their fragrance completely fills the room. Easy plant to grow. (\$1.25 each) (2 for \$2.25).

ALLAMANDA (Golden Trumpet)

Allamanda nerifolia is a sub-tropical plant from Brazil. Its climbing cousins are well-known in Florida but the variety nerifolia differs from all the rest as it is a dwarf, evergreen bush. Grows into a beautiful shrub in warm climates and easily grown indoors in the North. Flowers freely two or three times each year, with large, trumpet-shaped blooms of bright, golden yellow. Blooming-age plants (\$1.25 each) (2 for \$2.25).

GARDENIA—Flower of Romance

This fragrant flower of romance can be grown in the warm temperatures of the home. The beautiful waxy-white flowers, together with the glossy-green foliage, make an almost "fairly-like" combination. Oftentimes, 10 or a dozen blooms will grace a single plant, each of which would cost the price of the whole plant at the florists. Blooming size plants. (\$1.10 each) (2 for \$1.95) prepaid.

DWARF GARDENIA

America's favorite corsage flower now becomes easier than ever to grow as a pot plant. Gardenia radicans is a miniature plant with small, glossy leaves but with full size flowers, 2 in. or more across. Pot plants several years old are still only 6 to 8 inches high. Blooms the second year in late spring and summer. Year-old plants (\$1.25 each); (2 for \$2.25), postpaid.

Thanksgiving & Christmas CACTUS

Blooms Year after Year. (Zygocactus truncatus). Best loved of all blooming Cactus, the bright showy blooms are a cheery and welcome holiday sight. Does well under almost all conditions and blooms year after year in a sunny location with very little care. We send out only strong plants that will bloom next holiday season. Both varieties are similar except for blooming season.

THANKSGIVING CACTUS. Blooms in Nov.-Dec.

CHRISTMAS CACTUS. Blooms in Dec.-Jan.

PRICES: Your Choice of variety (\$1.10 each) (2 for \$1.95) postpaid.

STAR JASMINE

The very best of the Jasmines (Illicifolium), making an ideal house plant, blooming several times during the year even in small pots. The highly scented, pure white flowers are a constant joy to those who want something different. (\$1.25 each) (2 for \$2.25) postpaid.

NIGHT BLOOMING JASMINE

Fill the Night with Fragrance

The night-blooming Jasmine (Cestrum Parqui) is a highly prized house plant. The foliage is a bright green color, and it produces richly fragrant blooms that perfume the entire room. Makes an excellent garden plant in summer. Fragrance most noticeable at night when flowers first open. (\$1.10 each) (2 for \$1.95) postpaid.

Fragrant, Double OLEANDER

One of the most wonderful of all tub plants, growing to 6' if wanted, or can be kept trimmed to 3'. A profusion of double, highly fragrant blooms, often on very young plants. Your choice of Pink, Red or Yellow. (\$1.25 each) (2 for \$2.25) postpaid.

OLEANDER COLLECTION: One (1) each of 3 above only \$3.40, postpaid.

PIGMY DATE PALM

"Dwarf"—Living Room Style

The Pigmy Date Palm is a close relative of the large commercial variety. While in warm climates it grows quite large, it seldom grows over 2 to 3' tall indoors. From an ornamental standpoint, it is best of all palms for pot culture, and in addition, it will produce edible fruit. (\$1.25 each) (2 for \$2.25) postpaid.

HOUSE PLANT SEED

Dozens of house plants can be easily and cheaply grown from seed. See page 39 for these seed items and start a fascinating hobby.



Allamanda



Gardenia



Christmas Cactus



Star Jasmine



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Starfish Flower



Chinese Hibiscus



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Blue Beauty



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Glamorous Gladiolus

All First Size Bulbs 1½" Diameter or More



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BLACK OPAL. A deep, almost black-red, with welcome trouble-free growing qualities. (3 for 55c) (6 for 95c) (12 for \$1.75).

BLUE BEAUTY. Medium blue shaded darker at edges; large, wide open flowers. Early midseason. (3 for 55c) (6 for 95c) (12 for \$1.75).

BOW-BELLS. A very early, heavy blooming white. Unsurpassed for early cutting. (3 for 65c) (6 for \$1.10) (12 for \$1.95).

BURMA. Deep rose, ruffled blooms; 6 to 10 open together on medium tall plants. Early midseason. (3 for 50c) (6 for 90c) (12 for \$1.60).

CAMPANILE. A real blue-lavender and one of the finest in this color class. Big spike with 8-10 open blooms, ruffled and recurved. (3 for 55c) (6 for 95c) (12 for \$1.75).

ELIZABETH THE QUEEN. Beautiful lavender with darker lines in the throat; 7 to 8 wide open flowers at a time. Mid-season. (3 for 50c) (6 for 90c) (12 for \$1.60).

ELMER'S ROSE. Beautifully ruffled blooms of deep rose. One of the best recent introductions. (3 for 50c) (6 for 90c) (12 for \$1.60).

FLORENCE NIGHTINGALE. Tall, vigorous white with creamy-white throat. (3 for 50c) (6 for 90c) (12 for \$1.60).

FORTUNE. Very brilliant orange. The best of its color and a fine cut flower. (3 for 55c) (6 for 95c) (12 for \$1.75).

GOLD. One of the finest of all yellow Glads. Tops in substance and producing as many as 14 to 16 blooms per spike. (3 for 55c) (6 for 95c) (12 for \$1.75).

HOPMAN'S GLORY. Tall, brilliant yellow of heavy substance. Excellent cut flower. (3 for 55c) (6 for 95c) (12 for \$1.75).

JUNE BELLS. One of the Whitest of the Whites. Strong grower and good cut flowers. (3 for 55c) (6 for 95c) (12 for \$1.75).

MOTHER FISCHER. A tall, heavily ruffled, faultless flower. An outstanding white for cutting. (3 for 50c) (6 for 90c) (12 for \$1.60).

ORANGE GOLD. Large brilliant orange with a golden throat. An excellent cut flower. (3 for 55c) (6 for 95c) (12 for \$1.75).

PHANTOM BEAUTY. Gorgeous shell-pink blooms with 10 to 12 open at one time. A wonderful show spike. (3 for 50c) (6 for 90c) (12 for \$1.60).

REGINA. Rich, light orange with apricot shadings and red throat. Huge, ruffled 6-inch florets. (3 for 55c) (6 for 95c) (12 for \$1.75).

REWI FALLU. Immense, deep blood-red; texture like heavy velvet. Don't lose the name of this one—you'll want to get more! (3 for 55c) (6 for 95c) (12 for \$1.75).

ROSE SPIRE. Five-inch florets of clean, clear rose-pink, with creamy-white throat. (3 for 55c) (6 for 95c) (12 for \$1.75).

SANS SOUCI. Rich, glowing scarlet. Tall spikes producing 18 to 19 blooms. The best scarlet and a leading cut flower variety. (3 for 50c) (6 for 90c) (12 for \$1.60).

SPIC AND SPAN. Giant ruffled flowers of rich pink—sometimes 20 of them at once. (3 for 50c) (6 for 90c) (12 for \$1.60).

SUGAR ELL. Beautiful orange-salmon, overlaid coral. Excellent cut flower with 19-20 buds. (3 for 60c) (6 for \$1.00) (12 for \$1.85).

SUMMER QUEEN. Large, salmon-pink with 8 large, ruffled florets open at once. Extra good cut flower. (3 for 55c) (6 for 95c) (12 for \$1.75).

THE RAJAH. Ruffled blooms of solid, royal purple. New, and one of the best in its color. (3 for 50c) (6 for 90c) (12 for \$1.60).

TRAVELER. Light, rose-pink with a slight deep-rose throat. Majestic spikes of 10-12 open florets out of 22 to 24 buds. A valuable cut flower. (3 for 55c) (6 for 95c) (12 for \$1.75).

WILD ROSE. Five-inch florets of clear rose, with white throat. Excellent early cut flower. (3 for 55c) (6 for 95c) (12 for \$1.75).

Special!

SPECIAL GLAD COLLECTION

This fine collection contains one (1) each of the 25 fine varieties described above, unlabelled, prepaid.

ALL 25 FIRST SIZE BULBS \$2.95

1½" in diameter or over

GLORY GLAD GARDEN

This marvelous assortment is made up from over 100 different varieties, all large flowered with all the basic Glad colors included. Offered in three sizes.

GLAD COLLECTION "A"

Huge, JUMBO-SIZE bulbs 2" or more across and 6 to 7" in circumference. They produce the largest possible flowers on 4 to 5' spikes (12 for \$1.75) (25 for \$3.25) (50 for \$6.00) (100 for \$11.00) prepaid.

GLAD COLLECTION "B"

LARGE No. 1 bulbs 1½" to 2" across that make huge flowers on 3 to 4' spikes. (12 for \$1.00) (25 for \$1.85) (50 for \$3.35) (100 for \$6.25) prepaid.

GLAD COLLECTION "C"

The same fine mixture as above except bulb size 1 to 1¼" across. Blooms only slightly smaller than No. 1's. This is the size the commercial flower grower uses most. (20 for \$1.00) (50 for \$2.10) (100 for \$4.00) prepaid.

GORGEOUS GREEN GLADS

The "Green Glads" are becoming more popular each year and are in great demand for striking and unusual flower arrangements. We offer three outstanding varieties.

ERIN. Deep chartreuse; one of the first of the "Green Glads" and probably the greenest of all. Excellent novelty and a good cut flower. No. 1 bulbs. (3 for 75c) (6 for \$1.40) (12 for \$2.50).

GREEN ICE. The finest of the "Greens." The color is a soft chartreuse or greenish-cream, with a slightly deeper throat. 8 to 10 well-placed blooms open at one time. A true exhibition variety. No. 1 size bulbs. A "must" for your garden this year. (3 for \$1.00) (6 for \$1.85) (12 for \$3.50).

GREEN WOODPECKER. A most unusual and striking novelty. The color is a deep, lemon-green with a dark red blotch. 10 to 12 blooms open at one time. Strong grower with a tall flower spike. No. 1 bulbs. (3 for \$1.25) (6 for \$2.25) (12 for \$4.00).

SPECIAL GREEN GLAD COLLECTION

One bulb each of Erin, Green Ice and Green Woodpecker in a single package. All 3 for \$1.00.

FRAGRANT GLADIOLUS

This variety came from Ethiopia as *Gladiolus Murialae* and while some botanists consider this to be its correct classification, others classify it as a species of *Acidanthera*. Under whichever name you choose to call it, you will find it to be one of the finest additions to your *Gladiolus* garden. The flowers are pure white with a maroon-black blotch on the lower petal, produced on spikes about 2 feet tall. When in bloom, the entire garden is filled with a delightful perfume suggestive of carnations. Bulbs of this variety do not grow as large as regular Glads. Large Bulbs (approximately 1" diameter). (3 for 50c) (6 for 85c) (12 for \$1.60) prepaid.



Red Monarch

Super-Giant "DINNER PLATE"

DAHLIAS

Enormous, Prize-Winning Blooms 12" and more across

The largest and finest of the Giant Decorative Dahlia class so popular for exhibition and show. Nearly all of them are capable of producing huge blooms a foot or more across when well fed and disbudded. We know you will be pleased with every one of them, the biggest Dahlias you have ever seen and all consistent winners of many prizes and awards.

ARTHUR GODFREY. A real giant with blooms measuring 12" or more across by 6" deep. Beautiful oriental-red with buff shadings. The most successful prize winner the world over. (\$1.25 each) (3 for \$3.40) postpaid.

AUTUMN BLAZE. Brilliant fiery-red with shades of gold. Huge, deep blooms 12 to 14 inches. Frequently the largest bloom in the show. (\$1.25 each) (3 for \$3.40) postpaid.

AUTUMN GIANT. Very large, golden-bronze blooms to 10 inches across. Very showy, with blooms held high. (\$1.00 each) (3 for \$2.70)

BARBARA MARSHALL. Giant, screaming-orange-red blooms 10 inches or more across. A robust grower and heavy bloomer. Excellent for exhibition. (\$1.25 each) (3 for \$3.40)

CHEROKEE BEAUTY. Huge, decorative blooms 10 inches across and 6 inches deep. The color is Begonia-pink and one of the finest Dahlias grown. (\$1.25 each) (3 for \$3.40) postpaid.

CROYDON'S MASTERPIECE. Enormous blooms 12 to 14" across by 6" deep in a sunset blend of red, gold and orange. A show all by itself. Flowers face up on strong stems. (\$1.00 each) (3 for \$2.70) postpaid.

GREAT LAKES. Massive, pure white blooms to 9 inches across. One of the finest of all whites. (\$1.25 each) (3 for \$3.40) postpaid.

MARY ELIZABETH. Bright cherry-red of enormous size, frequently 12 to 14 in. The largest and showiest red Dahlia we know and was rated the largest bloom in the Chicago Show in 1954-'55-'56. Listed on all of the Dahlia "Honor Rolls." (\$1.25 each) (3 for \$3.40) postpaid.

OGDEN REID. A real exhibition Dahlia that grows naturally to 12" or more. Bright rose-pink with gold shadings at the base. One of the very best pinks. (\$1.00 each) (3 for \$2.70)

PREMIER'S WINSOME. The finest pink in our gardens, listed as soft, amaranth-rose. Enormous 12 to 15-inch blooms on long stems. A sure Prize Winner. (\$1.25 each) (3 for \$3.40) postpaid.

RED MONARCH. Exhibition-size blooms that frequently reach a foot across. Velvety, cardinal red and the finest deep red we know. (\$1.00 each) (3 for \$2.70) postpaid.

RUFFLED GIANT. Another giant Dahlia that frequently reaches a foot across. The entire top of the 3 ft. bush is covered with its massive, flame-colored blooms making one of the showiest of all Dahlias. (\$1.25 each) (3 for \$3.40) postpaid.

THOMAS EDISON. Very large blooms of deep royal-purple up to 10 inches across. Winner of many Awards. (\$1.00 each) (3 for \$2.70)

TIDAL WAVE. One of the very largest of the sensational Dahlias coming out of Australia where it won all the top awards. The broad petaled 11x6" blooms are deep yellow and held face up on sturdy stems. (\$1.25 each) (3 for \$3.40) postpaid.

WHITE WONDER (Kemp's). A wonderful, pure white Dahlia 10 to 12" across. The largest white we know. (\$1.00 each) (3 for \$2.70) postpaid.

"DINNER PLATE" DAHLIA COLLECTION

A complete garden of enormous Award Winning Dahlias. Just imagine the "Flower Show" and "County Fair" prizes this Collection can produce. One each of the 15 "Dinner Plate" Dahlias above (\$16.75 value) for only \$9.95, postpaid.

BALL DAHLIAS

Ball Dahlias produce more blooms per plant than other types. Perfect 4-5" balls that are beautifully quilled and ideal for cutting.

A. D. LIVONI. Soft rose-pink.

AMBER QUEEN. Golden amber.

PURPLE BALL. Bright purple.

RED CHIEF. Bright red.

WHITE FAWN. Pure white.
Ball Dahlia Prices: (50c each) (3 for \$1.35) (6 for \$2.60) postpaid.

BALL DAHLIA COLLECTION

1 each of 5 Varieties only
\$1.85, postpaid.

CUT-FLOWER DAHLIAS

This Collection of Dahlias is especially recommended for cut-flower use as well as garden. All are large-flowered Decoratives that carry their flowers erect on stems suitable for cutting.

AVALON. Large blooms to 8 inches. Clean, bright yellow. Not new but one of the best.

BLACK NARCISSUS. An unusual, semi-cactus Dahlia. 6 to 7 inch blooms of dark, ox-blood red. Free bloomer and the darkest Dahlia we know.

CITY OF WELLSTON. Decorative 6 to 7" blooms of deep, purplish-red.



Premier's Winsome

SHOW GARDEN DAHLIA COLLECTION

This amazing value comes from our Show Garden where we grow hundreds of new dahlias for test. Most are expensive varieties, of all colors, but all are unlabeled.

8 Dahlias for Only \$2.65

CUT FLOWER DAHLIA COLLECTION

One each of Avalon, Black Narcissus, City of Wellston, Golden Treasure, Nicky Kay and Rose Glory. All 6, unlabeled, for \$2.75, postpaid.

GOLDEN TREASURE. Barium-yellow, suffused with orange. 7-8" blooms produced freely on long stems.

NICKY KAY. Scarlet-red blooms to 8 inches. Heavy bloomer with strong cutting stems.

ROSE GLORY. A long-keeping flower of deep rose-pink. Vigorous plant, free-flowering, 6 to 7 inches.

PRICES: Your choice of the above varieties (60c each) (3 for \$1.60) (6 for \$3.00) (12 for \$5.75) postpaid.

Grow Dahlias from Seed

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BURGESS' FLOWERING BULBS

For Outdoor Summer Bloom And Indoor Winter Bloom

Giant Dutch Amaryllis



Blooms 6 to 8" Across

GIANT Dutch Hybrid AMARYLLIS

No potted plant will attract more attention or give both the amateur and professional grower more pleasure than to see one of our Giant Dutch Hybrid Amaryllis unfold its gigantic blooms. Without question they are so far superior to any other strain that we recommend them to you as best. They may seem expensive when compared in price to the many cheaper strains offered, but we know you will find them well worth the difference. All produce blooms 6 to 8 inches across and sometimes larger. We have seen 4 and 5 blooms on a 2 foot stem giving a floral display hard to believe.

We offer the very finest strain of Giant Dutch Amaryllis (imported bulbs) in the following colors:

BRIGHT SOLID RED

ROSE

PURE WHITE

PRICES: Your choice of above colors in large bulbs 3 to 3 1/4" in diameter, guaranteed to bloom. (\$4.50 each) (3 for \$12.00) prepaid.



Giant Anemone

CALLA LILIES

The Callas are not hardy but the summer blooming varieties make excellent pot plants for the patio and window box or may be grown in the garden. They are easy to grow and can be stored over winter as easily as Gladioli.

BLACK CALLA. (arum pictum) An easily grown house plant for winter bloom and will usually flower within six weeks after planting. The spathe, or "Flower" is deep purple, almost black, and each bulb should produce several. Bulbs 1 1/4 to 2" in diameter. (\$1.25 each) (3 for \$2.95) postpaid.

PINK CALLA. (Rehmani) Bright pink, sweet scented flowers with long, narrow leaves. 2 to 2 1/2" bulbs. (75c each) (3 for \$2.10) postpaid.

WHITE CALLA. (aethiopica) Large, pure white blooms with broad, green foliage. 1 1/2 to 2" bulbs. (60c each) (3 for \$1.60) postpaid.

YELLOW CALLA. (Elliottiana) Pure golden yellow flowers with spotted foliage. 2 to 2 1/2" bulbs. (60c each) (3 for \$1.60) postpaid.

SUMMER CALLA COLLECTION. One each of Pink, White and Yellow for only \$1.75, postpaid.



Calla Lilies



Fancy Leaved Caladiums

Fancy Leaved CALADIUMS Most Brilliant of All Foliage Plants

No plant in bloom could attract more attention than the foliage of our Caladiums. They are indispensable wherever brilliant, decorative plants are required. Plant them in window boxes, Jardinieres, and among ferns or other green-leaved plants to add color. They are also suitable for bedding out-of-doors in partial shade. Not hardy but easily stored for use again the following season. We especially recommend them planted among ferns and Tuberous Begonias.

Mixed Colors Only. No. 1 size bulbs will produce the largest leaves. (3 for \$1.45) (6 for \$2.75) (12 for \$4.95) postpaid.

GIANT ANEMONES

Gorgeous spring flowers measure 3 to 5" across and are borne on long stems. Colors range from light blue to brilliant scarlet with all the intermediate colors and white. Excellent cut flowers. Hardy outdoors if covered well during the winter and fine for growing in the house. Choice mixture of colors. 5-6 cm. blooming size bulbs (12 for \$1.00) (25 for \$1.85) (50 for \$3.35) (100 for \$6.25) postpaid.

Bulbs are the safest and easiest of all plants to grow. Burgess' vitality-packed bulbs are sure to bloom because the Flower is already in the Bulb. Sizes of all varieties are plainly stated so you will know exactly what you are buying and all of them are blooming size.

Complete Growing Instructions Free with Each Order

GORGEOUS GIANT CANNAS

These stately favorites with the massive blooms and tropical flavor are a showy sight all summer and fall. The bright colored foliage and brilliance of bloom is unsurpassed by anything. Heavy 2 to 3 eye roots.

KING HUMBERT—Red flowers, bronze foliage.

CITY OF PORTLAND—Pink flowers, green foliage.

YELLOW KING—Yellow flowers, green foliage. (3 for \$1.00) (6 for \$1.90) (12 for \$3.50), prepaid.

CANNA COLLECTION—2 each of 3 above (6 roots) only \$1.85 prepaid.

Fragrant TUBEROSES

DOUBLE PEARL TUBEROSE. One of the most beautiful of the late summer flowering bulbs. Spikes and blooms enormous in size. Very double and fragrant. Excellent cut flower. Easily stored like Glads. First size bulbs 3 to 4" in circumference. (6 for \$1.00) (12 for \$1.90) prepaid.



Tuberose



Tuberous Rooted BEGONIAS

THE MOST PRIZED OF ALL SUMMER FLOWERING PLANTS

Tuberous Rooted Begonias are without doubt the most valuable of all summer flowering plants to grow in shady places. They make ideal pot plants for indoors or on the patio—for window boxes and shady flower beds. Their culture is simple and with the least regard for their requirements they will repay you with an abundance and brilliancy of bloom not equaled by any other class of plants. If started indoors, they will bloom continuously outdoors from Memorial Day until cut down by frost in the fall.

Burgess' specially selected types offered below are from the best American Hybridizers—The Very Best Begonias in All the World!

We offer only large 1½ to 2 in. bulbs to give you full sized blooms the first year. Try Begonias with Caladiums and Fuchsias for the most colorful combination you can imagine.



Ruffled Begonia



Rose Form Begonia



Picotee Begonia

Ruffled or Ballerina Begonias

The most "raved" about strain of Tuberous Begonia ever developed. They are so fabulous and amazing that other varieties seem ordinary! Huge, double blooms 4-in. or more across, in many shades of pink, rose, red, salmon, orange, scarlet and yellow. Mixture of colors only. Large bulbs. (3 for \$1.35) (6 for \$2.60) (12 for \$4.80).

Rose Bud Begonias

As fully double as a Rose and frequently mistaken for one. Our American-developed Hybrids are superior to all others the world over. The largest of the Tuberous Begonias, blooms 4-in. or more across in many shades and colors, including pink, rose, red, scarlet, yellow, etc. Mixture of colors only. Large bulbs. (3 for \$1.35) (6 for \$2.60) (12 for \$4.80).

Picotee Begonia

The Picotee Begonias are characterized by their beautiful contrasting colors. Resembling large Camellias or Roses, the flowers are either edged or mottled with contrasting colors. Shades of pink, rose, apricot, red and salmon. Mixture of colors only. Large bulbs. (3 for \$1.35) (6 for \$2.60) (12 for \$4.80).



Fairy Amaryllis

FAIRY AMARYLLIS

Rain Lilies of the South

The Fairy Amaryllis, or Rain Lilies, (Zephyranthes) are used principally as pot plant subjects in the North where they are easily grown and bloom freely on 6" stems. Several bulbs should be planted in a single pot. In mild climates they may be treated as garden subjects for the low border. In the South, where they bloom after the spring rains, they are known as Rain Lilies. Top size bulbs only.

PINK FAIRY AMARYLLIS (3 for 85c) (6 for \$1.60) (12 for \$2.90) postpaid.

YELLOW FAIRY AMARYLLIS (3 for 85c) (6 for \$1.60) (12 for \$2.90).

"THE MAGIC" LILY"

The Magic Lily (Lycoris) is a native of Japan and one of the most beautiful of the Amaryllis family. It produces attractive green foliage in the spring, which disappears in midsummer. About a month later (Sept., here in Michigan), as if by magic, the flower stalk appears, bearing a cluster of 7 to 12 spidery, pink Lily-like flowers. Perfectly hardy and should be left in the ground year after year unmolested. Blooming-size bulbs, 6 to 7" circumference. (50c each) (3 for \$1.35) (6 for \$2.60).

MAGIC LILY SPECIAL

Special Offer: An exceptional buy in Japan enables us to offer bulbs below our regular price, as long as the supply lasts.
Special Price: 3 bulbs for only \$1.25, postpaid.

GLOXINIA COLLECTION

One (1) each of four colors of Gloxinia bulbs for only \$1.25.

GLOXINIAS

Showy, brilliantly colored, trumpet-shaped flowers, two inches or more across. An ideal, easy to grow pot plant for a well lighted north or east window and frequently used as a bedding plant in a semi-shaded location. Continues to bloom over a long period and the tubers can be easily kept for years.

SEED: (Pkt. 50c) (Jumbo Pkt. \$1.25).

Large Size Bulbs, 1½ to 2" in diameter: Choice of Pink, Purple, Red or White. (3 for \$1.35) (6 for \$2.60) (12 for \$4.80).



Magic Lily

BURGESS "Blizzard Belt" PERENNIALS

A Permanent Garden For Summer Long Bloom

Hardy, Easily-Grown GARDEN CARNATIONS

With the Spicy Fragrance

For brilliance of bloom and a delightful spicy fragrance, it's hard to beat the foot-high Hardy Garden Carnations. Except for size, they will bloom outdoors like they do in the greenhouse. And they will bloom all summer long, without special care. Good for cut flowers, too. We sell 1-year plants that transplant best. Your choice of **Pink, Red, Maroon, White or Yellow.** (50c each) (3 for \$1.35) (6 for \$2.50) postpaid.

CARNATION COLLECTION

One plant each of Pink, Red, Maroon, White and Yellow Garden Carnations unlabeled. All 5 plants for only \$1.65, postpaid. Two Collections (10 plants) for \$2.75, postpaid.

Hardy Carnation

SUMMER FLOWERING PHLOX

No summer perennial garden is complete without this colorful group of plants. The brilliantly colored fragrant flowers commence in June and continue uninterrupted until late August. Produced in large heads on 24 to 30" plants. There are many hundreds of varieties on the market but we believe we have selected 8 of the very best.

AFRICA. Brilliant, carmine-red.

CHIEFTAIN. Intense, deep crimson.

FUCHSIA. Bright, Fuchsia-purple.

PRIME MINISTER. White with crimson eye.

PROGRESS. Light blue with purple eye.

PURPLE HEART. Rich, plum-purple.

SUNRAY. Deep, salmon-pink.

WORLD PEACE. Outstanding, pure white.

YOUR CHOICE of the above 8 Phlox varieties (60c each) (3 for \$1.50) (6 for \$2.85) (12 for \$4.95) ppd.



"Special" PHLOX COLLECTION

All 8 Varieties of Summer Flowering Phlox listed above unlabeled. Phlox Collection No. 62 only \$2.95, postpaid.



Bleeding Heart

BLEEDING HEARTS

Old Fashioned Bleeding Heart (Dicentra Spectabilis). Blooms in April and May with long arching sprays of heart-shaped, rose-pink flowers. Especially valuable in semi-shade. Grows to 2'. Also makes a beautiful house plant if potted late in the fall and kept in a cool place until a few weeks before the flowers are wanted. 3 to 5 eye roots. (95c each) (3 for \$2.55) (6 for \$4.85) postpaid.

Everblooming Bleeding Heart (Dicentra Eximia). Finely cut foliage and showy spikes of heart-shaped deep pink flowers from April to August. Grows a little over a foot high in sun or shade. (85c each) (3 for \$2.25) (6 for \$4.25) prepaid.



Daphne

EVERGREEN ROSE DAPHNE

The Evergreen Rose Daphne (cneorum) a dwarf evergreen shrub usually treated as a perennial is becoming more popular each year for ranch-style home foundation plantings. The bright pink flowers appear profusely during April and May, perfuming the entire garden, and the beautiful blue-green foliage remains attractive the year around. This beautiful and versatile plant has many uses. Besides the low foundation, it will adapt itself to the perennial garden and is ideal for the rock garden. The plant grows 12 in. high and will eventually branch out to form a dense mat 2 ft. or more across. Perfectly hardy here in the North. 2-yr. old field grown plants. Ready to bloom (\$2.50 each) (3 for \$5.95) postpaid.



Lavender

NEW! PINK DELPHINIUM ASTOLAT

The Pacific Hybrid Delphinium is truly the stately queen of the perennial flower garden and you will be utterly thrilled at this exciting new color series. The colors range through the daintiest shades of orchid and lilac-pink to deeper shades of rose and lavender. Huge, double flowers, with contrasting black, white or brown "bees" to lend enchantment to this beautiful new pink series called "Astolat." Mixture of all shades of "pink tones." (3 for \$1.75) (6 for \$3.35) (12 for \$6.35) postpaid.

Knights of the Round Table "Series" of Pacific Hybrid Delphinium. Florets up to 2 inches across on spikes 4 to 5 ft. tall. Endless combinations of Blue, Purple, Rose and Lavender shades. Hardly two plants exactly alike. Blooms in June and July. The finest of all Delphinium. Mixture of colors only. (3 for \$1.50) (6 for \$2.75) (12 for \$4.95) postpaid.

CREEPING MOSS PHLOX

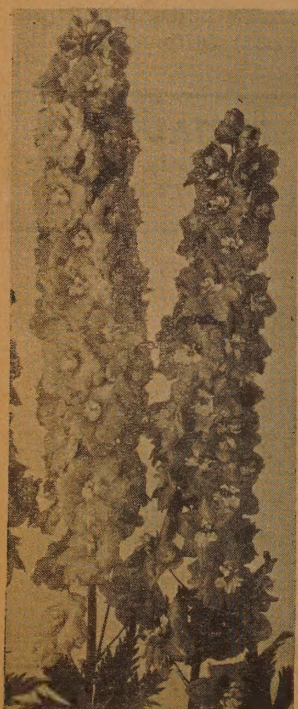
For Edging—for Rock Garden and Ground Cover

Moss-like evergreen mats of foliage completely covered with flowers in very early spring, making a most striking carpet of bloom. An ideal plant for edging, for the rockery or to completely cover terraces and banks.

Your choice of **Blue, Pink, Red or White.** (50c each) (3 for \$1.35) (6 for \$2.60) (12 for \$4.80) postpaid.

CREEPING PHLOX COLLECTION

One each of Blue, Pink, Red and White (all 4) for only \$1.65, postpaid.



52 Hybrid Delphinium



Creeping Moss Phlox

TRUE LAVENDER

Lavandula Vera is the true Sweet Lavender of our grandmothers' gardens. An attractive, shrubby perennial plant about 18" high and covered with spikes of lavender flowers in July and August. The dried flowers will long retain their delightful fragrance and are highly valued for sachets. Both leaves and flowers are used in the manufacture of perfumes and aromatic vinegars and to some extent as a culinary herb. Grows best in dry, gravelly or limestone soils and should be given some winter protection in the far north. (75c each) (3 for \$1.95) (6 for \$3.75) postpaid.



1962 IRIS SPECIAL

Special low price for one each of the 8 Iris listed on this page (8 plants). All different, unlabeled, only \$3.65, postpaid.

RAINBOW IRIS GARDEN

Last summer, we broke up our Iris display gardens containing hundreds of beautiful varieties. We do not have enough to list them separately so while this special stock lasts, we are offering blooming-size divisions in one grand Mixture of varieties and colors. (6 Plants for \$2.25) (12 for \$3.95) (25 for \$7.50)



Passion Flower

Feathery ASTILBES



Astilbes are of easiest culture, doing particularly well in a semi-shady situation and will tolerate damp soils. They also do well as pot plants. If grown out of doors, the many branched, feathery heads of flowers are produced in abundance during June and July. When grown indoors, they can be forced for winter and early spring blooming. Fine for cutting. Your choice of Pink, Red or White. (\$1.00 each) (3 for \$2.70) (6 for \$5.00)

DOUBLE CHINESE PEONIES

The Peony will grow in almost any situation except wet ground or dense shade. They are easily grown and each plant will produce dozens of gorgeous 4 to 6" blooms year after year unmolested. Peonies make excellent, long-lasting cut flowers. Grows 2 to 3' and blooms in June.

EDULIS SUPERBA. Extra early, clear rose-pink. (\$1.25 each) (3 for \$3.40) postpaid.

FELIX CROUSSE. Very large, brilliant ruby-red. Mid-season. (\$1.50 each) (3 for \$3.95) postpaid.

FESTIVA MAXIMA. Very large, pure white blooms flecked with crimson. (\$1.75 each) (3 for \$4.50) postpaid.

LE CYGNE. The best pure white Peony and rated the highest of all Peonies by the American Peony Society. (\$2.50 each) (3 for \$6.75).

MONS. JULES ELIE. A gorgeous early Peony of mammoth size. Lilac-pink shading to rose. One of the most popular cut flower varieties. (\$1.50 each) (3 for \$4.00).

MONS. MARTIN CAHUZAC (The Black Peony). Deep crimson-maroon. The darkest of all Peonies. Early. (\$3.00 each) (3 for \$7.50) postpaid.

PRIMEVERE (The Yellow Peony). Soft creamy-yellow, shading to white. Mid-season. (\$3.00 each) (3 for \$8.00) postpaid.

SPECIAL PEONY COLLECTION

One each of Pink, Red and White.
All three for \$2.95, postpaid.



Peony Mons. Jules Elle

JAPANESE TREE PEONIES

We have only a limited supply of these popular and delightful varieties. They are extremely hardy and bloom 2 to 3 weeks ahead of the Chinese Peonies. They grow to about 4 ft. high and well established specimens may produce up to 100 blooms in a season.

Your Choice of colors—Pink, Purple, Red, White or Yellow in 2-yr.-old plants. (\$3.50 each) (3 for \$8.95)

Special Offer—All 5 Tree Peonies for only \$12.95.

TALL BEARDED GARDEN IRIS

The Tall-bearded Iris is the backbone of the spring flower garden and will repay you more for your investment than any other flower we know of. They thrive in almost any garden soil, except low, wet ground, and will produce a gorgeous and spectacular display of blooms year after year with very little care. Flower stalks average 3 to 4 ft. and bloom in late May and June. All large-flowered varieties.

COLOR CARNIVAL. Deep pink color with purple markings. Very large, well formed blooms. DAUNTLESS. Large blooms with reddish-purple stands and wine-colored falls.

FLAMINGO. Clear, cameo-pink with bright tangerine beard.

GREAT LAKES. One of the most popular large flowered bright blues. Rugged and hardy.

LIMELIGHT. Very large, canary-yellow ruffled blooms of lace-like appearance. Many Awards.

NEW SNOW. Huge, ruffled blooms of pure white with a pale yellow beard.

PACEMAKER. Rich, warm red. One of the best of all Red Irises.

SABLE. Deep violet-blue, almost black. An all-time favorite.

Iris Prices:

Your choice of the above 8 large-flowered varieties. (85c each) (3 for \$2.30) (6 for \$4.30) (12 for \$8.25) postpaid.

HARDY PASSION FLOWER

A climbing perennial vine for trellis or ground-cover. Large, wheel-shaped flowers of bright blue and white, from July to frost, followed by large, round, greenish-yellow fruits. The lush, dark green foliage makes a dense screen to 20 ft. that will hide unsightly spots. The tops die to the ground in winter and come up new each spring. Should have some winter cover where temperatures go below zero. (\$1.00 each) (3 for \$2.70) (6 for \$5.10)

ORIENTAL ROSE VINE

Full double rose-like flowers of clear, bright pink, 1½ to 2 inches across, produced throughout the entire summer. Plant along sunny banks that need a ground cover, or wherever a low vine is desired. Climbs about 4 to 6 feet on a trellis. A plant that will take all kinds of abuse and still produce a profusion of flowers.

Roots that bloom the first year (3 for \$1.35) (6 for \$2.60)

HARDY GLOXINIA

The Hardy Gloxinia (incarvillea) is a dwarf plant from Turkestan, with attractive foliage close to the ground. The flower stalks are about a foot high, each producing from 2 to 12 large, trumpet-shaped, rosy-purple flowers 2 to 3 inches long and 2 inches across. (\$1.00 each) (3 for \$2.70) (6 for \$4.95)



Oriental Rose Vine



HARDY OUTDOOR FERNS

Perfect for Shady Spots. Hardy Ferns do well in shady and half-shady places and are useful for growing close to houses and in places that are too dark for most plants. Ferns do best in light soils containing much vegetable matter, so it is always best to work leaf mold or leaves into the soil of a Fern bed. They are easy to grow. Your Choice of Christmas Fern, Cinnamon Fern, Ostrich Plume or Royal Fern. (75c each) (3 for \$2.10) (6 for \$3.85) (12 for \$7.00) postpaid.

SPECIAL FERN COLLECTION: One (1) each of Christmas, Cinnamon, Ostrich Plume and Royal, unlabeled. All 4 only \$2.50.

MIXTURE OF HARDY FERNS: (3 for \$1.50) (6 for \$2.90) (12 for \$5.40)



Hardy Gloxinia

Burgess Seed & Plant Co.
Galesburg, Mich.

Harvest Giant® Chrysanthemums

The "Harvest Giant"® Chrysanthemums were developed by Michigan's famous Chrysanthemum hybridizer, Orville Dunham, by crossing the largest American Chrysanthemums with the early English garden Mums. This combination has produced enormous blossoms of a quality equal to the best florists' varieties yet they will bloom early enough for outdoor planting in the North and they are perfectly hardy. All are patented with propagation rights reserved. They were first introduced in 1960 and if you missed them before be sure to plant every one of them in 1962. Blooming dates are given for Southern Michigan.

AUTUMN LEAVES. (1961 introduction). Large, incurved buff or light bronze bloom 6 in. or more across. Free-flowering. Opens Sept. 20th and continues until severe frost.

BRONZE SONG. (1962 introduction). Incurved bloom 6 in. in diameter. Rich, flaming bronze on 18 to 24-inch plants. Blooms continuously from mid-Sept. until frost.

FULL MOON. Very large, creamy-white incurving ball 6½ in. in diameter and 3½ in. deep. Upright plant 20 to 24 in. tall. A lovely thing by Sept. 25th. Continues throughout the fall.

GOLD DUST (See photo). 5 inch incurving bloom of bright yellow. Bushy, well rounded plant 15 in. tall. Blooms continuously from early Sept. until killing frost.

GOLDEN ARROW. Large, incurved, golden-yellow bloom. A real football type flower, 5 to 6 in. across. Late Sept. In our opinion it is Dunham's finest yellow.

INDIAN SUMMER. 6 to 7 in. blooms of reddish orange-bronze with buff reverse. Incurving and deeply reflexed. Upright plant 2 ft. tall. Blooms Sept. 5th and continues throughout the fall.

Harvest Giant Prices: Your Choice of the above 12 varieties. (\$1.00 each) (3 for \$2.75) (6 for \$5.00) (12 for \$9.50) postpaid.

RED PUMPKIN. (1962 introduction). Rich, rust-red, 5-inch blooms on compact 8-inch plants. Flowers from late Sept. until killed by frost.

REDSKIN. Decorative blooms of intense deep bright red, 5 to 6 in. in diameter. Well shaped, compact plant 18 to 20 in. tall. Blooms continuously from Sept. 25th until frost.

SEPTEMBER SONG. Incurving, medium deep rose pink blooms 6 in. in diameter. Compact, upright plant 15 to 20 in. tall. Blooms continuously from Sept. 15th until killing frost.

TOUCHDOWN. Deep rose pink, reflexing decorative blooms 7 to 8 in. in diameter. Erect plant 30 in. tall. Continuous bloomer from Sept. 25th until frost. The largest outdoor Mum we have ever seen.

WHITE FROST. Almost pure white, fully double, 5 to 6 in. incurving blooms on upright, 2 foot plant. Starts blooming Sept. 20th and continues throughout the fall.

YELLOW MOON. (1962 introduction). Very large, incurved ball to 6 inches across on upright plants 18 to 24 inches high. Light lemon-yellow. Blooms continuously from Sept. 25 until killed by frost.



Chrysanthemum Gold Dust

Special Mum Collection

Gardeners who planted Harvest Giants last year will surely want these three 1962 introductions.

One each of **Bronze Song**, **Red Pumpkin** and **Yellow Moon**. (Never before offered.) Only \$2.75, postpaid.

"Blizzard Belt" Super-Giant CHRYSANTHEMUMS

Burgess "Blizzard Belt" Chrysanthemums were developed right here in Michigan for early flowering to beat the early frosts of late September. Sturdy, branching plants average about 2 ft. with blooms 4" or more, even without disbudding. We know you will be proud to grow any or all of them. Patent and propagation rights reserved. Blooming dates are given for Southern Michigan.

FLOWER GIRL. Soft lilac, 4 to 5 in. fully incurved blooms. Blooms continuously from late Aug. to frost.

JACKPOT. Deep, golden-yellow, 4 to 5 in. incurved blooms. Blooms Aug. 25th.

OLD IVORY. (See photo). Full, round ball of soft old-ivory. Blooms 4-5 inches across produced from late Aug. to frost.

SUPER-GIANT MUM PRICES: Your Choice of above 6 varieties (95c each) (3 for \$2.55) (6 for \$4.85) (12 for \$8.95) postpaid.

August Flowering Mum Collection

For the benefit of gardeners in the far north where severe frosts may come in early September, we offer here a Collection of Super-Giant Chrysanthemums which will start to bloom in August and continue until killing frost.

August Flowering Mum Collection. One each of Flower Girl, Jackpot, Old Ivory, Snow Lady, Vacation and Velvet Marvel. All 6 for \$4.65, postpaid.



Chrysanthemum Old Ivory

EXHIBITION 'MUMS

Giant Incurved Flowers—Up to 6" Across

The Exhibition or late flowering Chrysanthemum is the Queen of autumn flowers. This giant-flowered type will bloom in the open in southern states but should be taken indoors where severe frosts come before Mid-Nov., and will make a most beautiful house plant for the holiday season. Your choice of varieties:

BLAZING GOLD. (Oct. 23.) Bright yellow.

DETROIT NEWS. (Nov. 1.) Reddish-bronze.

EVEREST. (Nov. 8.) Huge yellow incurve. Propagation rights reserved.

GIANT BETSY ROSS. (Nov. 5.) Paper white.

MISS AMERICA. (Nov. 1.) Clear pink. Propagation rights reserved.

VANGUARD. (Nov. 5.) Large, lavender-pink. Propagation rights reserved.

Your choice of varieties. (75c each) (3 for \$2.10) (6 for \$3.85) postpaid.

EXHIBITION 'MUM COLLECTION

One each of the above 6 varieties for only \$3.50, postpaid.

FROM THIS



TO THIS



IN JUST 3 MONTHS Right In Your Own Garden

Burgess' young Chrysanthemum plants are grown in a special rooting medium that gives them a rapid, uninterrupted growth and they keep right on growing when they reach you. Young, healthy plants produce larger blooms quicker than old, worn out plants or even new plants that have been allowed to harden. For the best Mums in town "Buy Burgess." Our plants are fully guaranteed but order early for delivery at spring planting time.

Exhibition
Chrysanthemum





Colorado Blue Spruce

BLUE SPRUCE SPECIAL

Special Offer of four-year-old Colorado Blue Spruce Trees. All are 5 to 9" high and have been once transplanted to develop sturdy root systems.

5 Blue Spruce Only
\$1.95, postpaid

COLORADO BLUE SPRUCE

A handsome specimen standing alone, it is even better displayed as an accent in boundary plantings or screens and in groups of three to five trees. Hardy, symmetrical and easily grown. Dense, steel-blue foliage. Our transplants are color-selected.

NORWAY SPRUCE

A hardy, rugged, dependable, fast-growing evergreen popular for windbreaks, hedges and reforestation. Frequently planted for living Christmas trees. Grows well almost everywhere, except in the far South.

PRICES OF TRANSPLANTED EVERGREENS—4 to 6 Years Old

Variety	Size	Each	3	10	25
Arborvitae, American	10-12"	\$1.00	\$2.65	\$7.15	\$13.00
Arborvitae, Woodward's Globe	10-12"	1.45	3.65	9.40	23.00
Arborvitae, Pyramidal	10-12"	1.45	3.65	9.40	23.00
Fir, Balsam	10-12"	1.20	3.10	7.75	16.50
Fir, Douglas	10-12"	1.20	3.10	7.75	16.50
Juniper, Pfitzer	10-12"	1.55	3.85	11.50	25.75
Juniper, Andorra	10-12"	1.45	3.65	9.40	23.00
Juniper, Hetzi	10-12"	1.55	3.85	11.50	25.75
Pine, Dwarf Mugho	10-12"	1.20	3.10	7.75	16.50
Pine, Scotch	10-12"	1.00	2.65	7.15	13.00
Spruce, Norway	10-12"	1.00	2.65	7.15	13.00
Spruce, Colorado Blue	10-12"	1.45	3.65	9.40	23.00
Yew, Spreading Japanese	10-12"	1.55	3.85	11.50	25.75
Yew, Hicks Upright	10-12"	1.55	3.85	11.50	25.75

Order only at rate given. Quantities cannot be combined to get lower rate.

AMERICAN ARBORVITAE

Hardy, reliable Evergreen for clipped or informal hedges, windbreaks, screen plantings or as single specimens. They make attractive backgrounds for flower borders. Broadly pyramidal in shape with thick bright green foliage. Grows in full sun or light shade and in wet or dry soils.

PYRAMIDAL ARBORVITAE

One of the best accent plants to use where a tall, slender Evergreen is needed. Slimmer and more compact than American Arborvitae. Grows rapidly but is easily kept at desired height by trimming.

WOODWARD'S GLOBE ARBORVITAE

Best of the globe-shaped arborvitae. Requires little trimming to keep it in shape and size. The dark green foliage holds its color all winter. Valuable in foundation plantings and to mark corners and entrances.

BALSAM FIR

The fragrant Balsams of the north woods are the most popular of all Christmas trees because they hold their foliage when cut. Since they grow rapidly, even a small planting will prove profitable commercially. Grows best in a fairly moist location.

DOUGLAS FIR

A fast-growing tree especially suited to commercial production of Christmas trees. A very graceful specimen in the garden. Grows well over a large part of the country except in the extreme South. Very symmetrical, with long needles, flexible branches and foliage varying, according to season, from light blue to green.

NORTHERN EVERGREENS

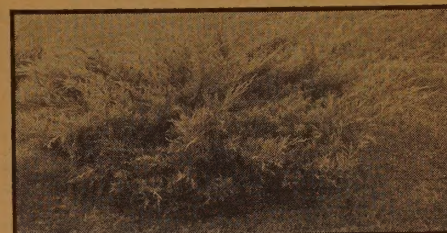
For Specimens, Foundation Plantings and Christmas Trees

All Evergreens are shipped direct from our own Wisconsin growing station, from September through May, and delivered postpaid to your door. Actual delivery from Wisconsin requires no longer than from Michigan but you should allow a few extra days for us to transfer the order to the shipping department. All evergreens delivered postpaid.

PFITZER'S JUNIPER

The One Evergreen That Grows Everywhere

Pfitzer's Juniper grows 4' high and spreads out to 8', unless pruned closer, and is perhaps the most versatile of all Evergreens. Grows in sun or semi-shade, on windy corners and in smoky cities where less sturdy varieties might be damaged. Its popularity is due also to its ability to thrive in all parts of the country, North and South, and in almost any type of soil. Steel-grey foliage with feathery appearance and is recommended for foundation planting, low corner specimens or atop banks and walls.



Pfitzer's Juniper

ANDORRA JUNIPER

A low, spreading Evergreen only a foot high for carpeting sandy or rocky slopes; to use in rock gardens and for planting in the foreground of taller Evergreens and shrubs. Its soft feathery foliage is silvery-green in summer, turning in fall to a gay purple hue which enlivens the winter landscape.

HETZI BLUE JUNIPER

A hardy, low-growing Juniper that very much resembles Pfitzer's, except for color, which is silver-blue. Frequently called Blue Pfitzer's Juniper, although it grows a little taller.

CHRISTMAS TREE or WINDBREAK Special!

25 Balsam Fir 25 Douglas Fir
25 Scotch Pine 25 Norway Spruce
3 Years old—6 to 10"

100 Trees Only \$8.95

PRICES OF 3-YEAR-OLD EVERGREEN SEEDLINGS

For a small investment you can, in a few years, develop a paying crop of Christmas Trees. You can also greatly improve the appearance and value of your property by planting hedges and windbreaks of Evergreens. Plant a few of them in the garden and grow them a few years before setting in a foundation planting. Planting instructions with each order.

Variety	Size	10	25	100	500
Arborvitae, American	8-12"	\$2.00	\$4.00	\$13.50	\$58.00
Fir, Balsam	6-10"	3.00	6.50	19.50	79.00
Fir, Douglas	6-10"	3.00	6.50	19.50	79.00
Pine, Scotch	8-12"	2.00	4.00	13.50	58.00
Spruce, Colorado Blue	6-10"	3.00	6.50	19.50	79.00
Spruce, Norway	6-10"	2.00	4.00	13.50	58.00

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MUGHO or CANDLE PINE

Effective in the foreground of foundation plantings and beside steps. Compact and symmetrical, retaining its green color through the winter. Enlivened in spring by myriads of little white "candles." Tolerates light shade if well fertilized. Because it grows well in sandy soil, it is in great demand for cemetery plantings.

SCOTCH PINE

A big, broad-shouldered evergreen resisting wind, drouth and cold and thriving on poor soils. Of rapid growth while young, it is one of the best evergreens for very exposed locations. Its irregular branching produces a picturesque effect. Extremely hardy and very popular for Christmas trees.

YEWS Grow In Dense Shade

Japanese Yews will grow in dense shade and will maintain their deep green color throughout the year. Because of their slow growth they make perfect specimens for restricted areas.

HICKS UPRIGHT YEW

A conical form, broad at the base and tapering evenly to the top. This is the best variety for hedges, in which the plants are set 18 to 24 inches apart. By all means the outstanding conifer for ornamental planting.

JAPANESE SPREADING YEW

A spreading form which makes a dense shrub as broad as it is high or may be kept trimmed to a smaller size. Often called "the Boxwood of the North."

Sacrifice Clearance Sale

SURPLUS LARGE EVERGREENS

Our Nursery has a surplus of four popular Evergreens that must be moved this spring. Our loss is your gain, so don't miss this opportunity to make a substantial planting of trees large enough to make a showing immediately and at sacrifice prices! Plant a windbreak, landscape or just single specimens. At these low prices we cannot ship less than 5 trees. Take your pick!

MIX 'EM or MATCH 'EM

Your Choice of the following varieties, delivered prepaid:
American Arborvitae Norway Spruce
Colorado Blue Spruce Scotch Pine

Trees average 1 1/4 to 2 ft. high.
(5 Trees for \$7.50) (10 Trees for \$14.00)

EVERBLOOMING HYBRID TEA ROSES

Strictly Number 1 Grade, Field Grown Plants

Here are 12 free-blooming, easy to grow Hybrid Tea Roses that you will be proud to have. All are hardy, thrifty, field-grown stock and guaranteed to grow.

AMI QUINARD. Deep, velvety-red. One of the darkest of all Red Roses.

CHARLOTTE ARMSTRONG. Long, streamlined buds of carmine-red. Wavy petaled, high-centered blooms in endless profusion.

CRIMSON GLORY. Very fragrant, large, double blooms of deep, velvety crimson.

ETOILE DE HOLLANDE. Brilliant red and one of the all-time greats. One of the largest red roses.

GOLDEN RAPTURE. Very large, double blooms of clear golden yellow.

PEACE. The World's Most Popular Rose. 5" blooms of canary yellow edged pink. The finest Rose ever produced and the first time ever offered at so low a price.

POINSETTIA. Bright scarlet. One of the most brilliant red Roses ever produced. Free bloomer and excellent cut flower.

PRES. HERBERT HOOVER. One of the finest multi-colored Roses—pink, scarlet, flame and yellow. Very large blooms.

RADIANCE. Large, rose-pink blooms. Very fragrant and produced on long stems for cutting. A long-standing and very dependable Rose.

REX ANDERSON. Outstanding, exhibition Rose of delicate ivory-white. Enormous full double blooms.

TALISMAN. Golden-yellow and copper-red combination. Most popular of the blends.

THE DOCTOR. Enormous blooms of exquisite silvery-pink and one of the best for garden planting. Fragrant.

PRICES: Your choice of the above: (\$1.45 each) (3 for \$4.25) (6 for \$7.95) (12 for \$14.95) postpaid.

HYBRID TEA COLLECTION: One (1) each of the above, 12 only \$13.80 prepaid.



Peace

PATENTED HYBRID TEAS



Sterling Silver

Of the thousands of patented Hybrid Tea Roses we have selected the 6 that we consider the all-time best in each color range. You can't make a mistake ordering any of those listed. Our Roses are all top grade No. 1 plants. Don't be confused by offerings of medium grade or No. 1½ Patented Roses sold at the same price.

CHRISTIAN DIOR. (Pat. No. 1943.) "All-America" for 1962. Magnificent crimson-red blooms, overlaid scarlet. Huge blooms with 50 to 60 petals and the most outstanding red Rose today. (\$3.50 each) (3 for \$9.30)

CHRYSLER IMPERIAL. (Pat. No. 1167.) Unmatched by any other Rose for color. Vivid, rich tones of crimson with overtones of oxblood-red and garnet. Long, tapering buds, opening to 4½ to 5" blooms with 40 to 50 petals. An all-time great. An "All America" Winner. (\$2.50 each) (3 for \$6.60)

GARDEN PARTY. (Pat. No. 1814.) A combination of soft pastel colors, from rich ivory in the heart through creamy-yellow to pink at the edges. Huge blooms to 5" across, with wide, flaring petals. Vigorous and free-flowering. AARS Award for 1960. (\$3.00 each) (3 for \$7.95)

1962 Rose Special

One each of Charlotte Armstrong, Peace, The Doctor, Talisman and Rex Anderson. All 5 for only \$5.95, postpaid.

KING'S RANSOM. (Pat. app. for.) "All-America" for 1962. Huge, 6" blooms of breath-taking chrome yellow cover the entire plant from the ground up. Extremely fragrant and produced all season long on very long stems. A "must" for your 1962 garden. (\$3.50 each) (3 for \$9.30)

PINK DUCHESS. (Pat. No. 1834.) Enormous 5- to 6-inch blooms of the same form as Peace. The color is a beautiful deep pink with a golden reverse tone. Grows vigorously in the South and winter-hardy North. (\$3.00 each) (3 for \$7.95)

STERLING SILVER. (Pat. No. 1433.) Warm, silver-lavender—a striking color never before seen in a Rose. Large 5" blooms on long stems with delightful fragrance. A beautiful Rose and a garden conversation piece for its color alone. (\$3.00 each) (3 for \$7.95)

PATENTED ROSE COLLECTION: One (1) each of Christian Dior, Chrysler Imperial, Garden Party, King's Ransom, Pink Duchess and Sterling Silver. All six (6) only \$16.35.

GRANDIFLORA ROSES



John Armstrong

A Whole Bouquet on a Single Stem

The Grandiflora Roses produce huge flower clusters like the Floribundas but with blooms like the Hybrid Teas.

GOLDEN GIRL. (Pat. No. 1912.) Large, high-centered blooms of sparkling golden yellow. Free-flowering, bushy plant. (\$2.50 each) (3 for \$6.60)

JOHN ARMSTRONG. (Pat. app. for.) "All-America" for 1962. Dark, velvety red that does not fade. Free-branching, sturdy plants with an abundance of bloom. (\$3.50 each) (3 for \$9.30)

JUNE BRIDE. (Pat. No. 1770.) Long lasting blooms of white tinged cream. Vigorous plant that does well even in dry weather. Excellent cut flower. (\$2.50 each) (3 for \$6.60) ppd.

MONTEZUMA. (Pat. No. 1383.) Large, double blooms of bright salmon-orange. Free-blooming in long-stemmed clusters. (\$2.75 each) (3 for \$7.20) postpaid.

PINK PARFAIT. All America Award for 1961. (Pat. No. 1904.) Perfect buds and blooms borne profusely, often with 100 buds on a plant. Delicate blend of pastel pinks that vary with the weather. Ideal for cutting. Disease resistant. (\$3.00 each) (3 for \$7.95) postpaid.

GRANDIFLORA ROSE COLLECTION: One each of Golden Girl, John Armstrong, June Bride, Montezuma and Pink Parfait. All 5 for \$12.55, postpaid.

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CLIMBING ROSES

And Pillar Roses

Everblooming Blaze

Completely covered with 2" double blooms for more than a month in the spring with a lighter crop again in the fall. No. 1 plants. (\$1.45 each) (3 for \$4.25) postpaid.

Golden Showers

(Pat. No. 1557.) A true, everblooming climbing or Pillar Rose that blooms from early spring until late fall. Large, fragrant, semi-double blooms of rich daffodil-yellow. Grows to about 8 ft. in the South and 4 to 6 ft. in the North. Almost thornless. "All America" Winner in 1957. (\$2.50 each) (3 for \$6.60)

Blossomtime

(Pat. No. 1240.) Strong-growing, Ever-blooming pink climber that will give you a profusion of fragrant bloom all summer. A strong-growing, hardy plant that needs little care. (\$2.50 each) (3 for \$6.60)

Climbing American Beauty

A sturdy, vigorous, hardy Climber resistant to most Rose diseases. 3 to 4 inch double blooms of vivid rosy-crimson produced on individual stems. Delicious spicy fragrance. (\$1.45 each) (3 for \$4.25)

Climbing Rose Collection

One each of Blaze, Cl. American Beauty, Golden Showers and Blossomtime.

Four (4) Climbing Roses, \$7.10.



Blaze



Golden Showers

Anyone Can Grow Beautiful Floribunda Roses

Floribundas are the bloomingest of all Roses and the nearest "fool-proof" of any type; will stand more neglect, grow in poorer soil and produce more blooms than you ever dreamed possible, all summer long. The ideal Rose for those who haven't the time or patience to pamper them. Plant in beds and borders or scatter them in the perennial garden.

BABY BLAZE. (Pat. No. 1362.) Dark red buds, opening to rich cherry-red. Flowers in large clusters of 10 to 25 on a 3-ft. bushy plant. (\$1.50 each) (3 for \$4.35) postpaid.

CIRCUS. (Pat. No. 1382.) 1956 All-America. Urn-shaped buds of bright red and yellow with the color changing as the flower opens. Predominating color of the mature flower may be orange, yellow, pink or gold and, finally, bright red. (\$2.50 each) (3 for \$6.60) postpaid.

EUTIN. Immense clusters of double flowers. Bright carmine-red. Vigorous plant, mildew resistant and a continuous bloomer. (\$1.45 each) (3 for \$4.25) postpaid.

FASHION. (Pat. No. 739.) All-America 1950. Brilliant coral, overlaid gold. Blooms throughout the summer in large brilliant clusters. (\$1.75 each) (3 for \$4.65) postpaid.

FLORADORA. Large clusters of geranium-red blooms. Received the American Rose Society Award in 1945. (\$1.45 each) (3 for \$4.25) postpaid.

GOLDLOCKS. (Pat. No. 672.) Rich, golden-yellow, long-lasting blooms. Hardy and vigorous. (\$1.50 each) (3 for \$4.35) postpaid.

LAVENDER PRINCESS. (Pat. No. 1905.) The loveliest of the new Floribundas with a delightful Old Rose fragrance. The color is orchid in bud, opening to lavender, with clusters of 4-inch blooms atop two-foot plants. (\$2.50 each) (3 for \$6.60)

PINOCCHIO. (Pat. No. 484.) Brilliant salmon, flushed gold in bud, opening in great clusters of soft pink miniature Tea Roses. (\$1.45 each) (3 for \$4.25) postpaid.

SPARTAN. (Pat. No. 1357.) Clusters of burnt-orange buds open to huge, high centered blooms of bright orange-red. Blooms long and abundantly. (\$2.00 each) (3 for \$5.25) postpaid.

SUMMER SNOW. The most prolific of all white flowered Floribundas. Flowers in very large clusters. (\$1.45 each) (3 for \$4.25) postpaid.



Lavender Princess

MULTIFLORA ROSES

Multiflora Roses grow quickly into thick, impenetrable blooming hedges that form effective barriers to livestock and people. The mature hedges are 6 to 8' high and 5 to 7' wide. On the farm they are easier and cheaper to establish than wire fences and require no maintenance. Foliage is rich, restful green and covered by a mass of white flowers in late spring. Does not sucker. Effectively confines cattle in 3 years. Set plants 12" apart for farm fences and 18" apart for garden hedges. Not recommended in swamps or heavy shade. Especially valuable for contour planting. 1 yr. 9 to 12" plants. (10 for \$1.40) (25 for \$2.80) (100 for \$8.00) (500 for \$35.00)



Multiflora Rose Hedge U.S.D.A. Photo

SPECIAL FLORIBUNDA ROSE COLLECTION

One each of Baby Blaze, Eutin, Fashion, Goldilocks, Pinocchio and Summer Snow.

All 6 Floribundas for Only \$8.35, postpaid.

PLANT A FLORIBUNDA ROSE HEDGE

A Flowering Hedge That Never Needs Trimming! One of the most spectacular sights we know is a hedge of beautiful Floribunda Roses in full bloom all summer long. A surplus of stock this year enables us to offer you an excellent price reduction offer.

These are all two-year-old plants and are packed 10 of a color in a bundle. At this Special Price we cannot break bundles. (10 for \$8.95) (20 for \$16.95) (50 for \$39.95) postpaid. Specify Color—Red, Pink, White or Yellow.

HARDY CLIMBING VINES

Large Flowered CLEMATIS

And How to Grow Them

Its large flowers, often 4 to 6" across, make it the most popular of all vines. You will have no trouble growing it, if you observe the following: (1) Plant in well drained location, (2) keep their feet in the shade and tops in the sun, or mound soil around base, and (3) add a handful of lime or mortar rubble at planting time and occasionally thereafter. For such beauty a little consideration is called for and will merit your time and trouble. 2 Yr. plants, easy to transplant from 4" pots.

HENRYI. Purest white.

JACKMANI. Plum-purple.

MME. E. ANDRE. Best of all reds.

RAMONA. A very bright blue.

PRICES: (\$2.50 each) (3 for \$6.75)



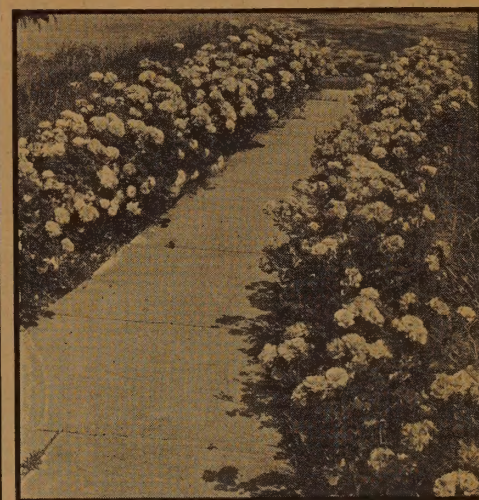
Chinese Purple WISTERIA

Wisteria chinensis. The light purple flowers produced in clusters a foot or more in length. Blooms in May. No other vine like it. 2-yr. old plants. (\$1.25 each) (3 for \$3.40) prepaid.

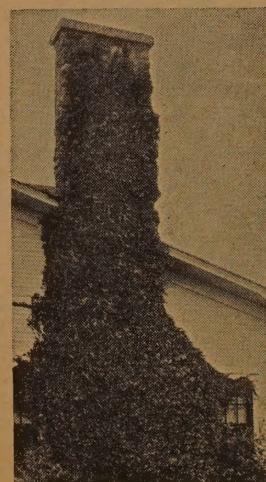


SILVER LACE VINE

Silver Lace Vine (*Polygonum auberti*) is one of the fastest growing hardy vines in existence, making a dense growth to 25 feet high, sometimes in a single season. During late summer and fall the entire vine is covered with foamy sprays of white flowers. If you need a vine to produce quick results, *Polygonum* will best suit your purpose. 2-Yr. No. 1 Plants (\$1.50 each) (3 for \$3.95) prepaid.



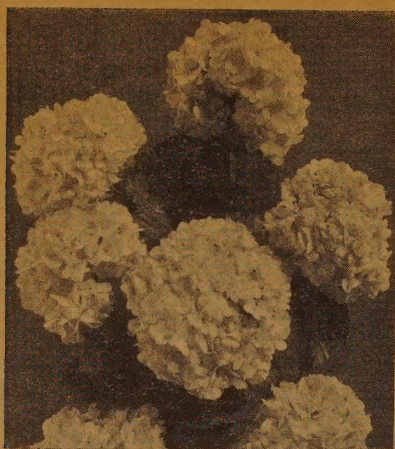
Floribunda Rose Hedge



BOSTON IVY

Chimney Climber

Boston Ivy (*Ampelopsis veitchii*) is the most popular of all hardy vines to cover chimneys and brick or stone walls, where it clings firmly to the smoothest surface. The deep green, glossy leaves turn to beautiful autumn tints after the fall frosts. Grows rapidly in either sun or shade. Set 12 in. apart. Young plants transplant best. 2-yr. old No. 1 field grown plants. (3 for \$1.25) (6 for \$2.25) postpaid.



Summer Snowball



Spice Bush



Double Mock Orange



Cardinal Shrub

Flowering Shrubs

Add Many Times Their Cost to Property Values

Beautify your home and surround your lawn or garden with flowering shrubs. They are easy to grow, require very little attention and will increase in beauty each year. The shrubs offered here cover a blooming period from the very first days of spring until killing frosts in the fall, with a wealth of color and fragrance.

Burgess quality shrubs are young, thrifty plants, 2 years old or more. They are easier and safer to transplant than older stock and often "catch up" with larger plants by the second year. They cost you less because you save a full year of nursery-growing expense and they are safe to buy because they are covered by the Burgess money-back guarantee. All prices include postage.

WHITE SUMMER SNOWBALL

This all-time popular member of the Viburnum family (opulus sterile) is not only at home in the tall shrub border but frequently planted as an individual lawn specimen, where a full-grown shrub is really spectacular in bloom. Covered with pure white "Snowballs" in May and bright red foliage in the fall. Grows to 12 ft. 12/18" size. (\$1.25 each) (3 for \$3.40)

FRAGRANT SPICE BUSH

Perfumes the Entire Garden

Calycanthus floridus. Double mahogany-colored flowers with an aromatic, spicy fragrance in June. The large, deep green glossy leaves have a somewhat tropical appearance. Decorative seed pods adorn the shrub in fall and early winter. Grows to 6 ft. 12/18" size. (\$1.00 each) (3 for \$2.70).

DOUBLE MOCK ORANGE

Fragrance of Orange Blossoms

Philadelphus virginialis. Pure waxy-white double flowers 2 inches across in large, loose clusters all over the plant. Blooms over a long period in June and July and makes an excellent cut flower. One of our finest summer-flowering shrubs. Grows to 6 ft. 12/18" size. (\$1.00 each) (3 for \$2.70).

HYDRANGEA PEE GEE

Huge panicles of bloom a foot long literally cover this spectacular bush. They open white in August, changing to deep rose in September and remain until late fall. Can be trained in either shrub or tree form. Grows to 8 ft. 12/18" size. (\$1.00 each) (3 for \$2.70).

MICHIGAN HOLLY

Ilex verticillata, also known as Winterberry, is a true Holly that sheds its leaves in the winter. Grows into an attractive symmetrical shrub to 8 ft. but is grown primarily for its spectacular display of bright red berries in the fall that remain all winter, or until eaten by the birds. 12/18" size. (\$1.25 each) (3 for \$3.40).



Hydrangea P. G.



Michigan Holly

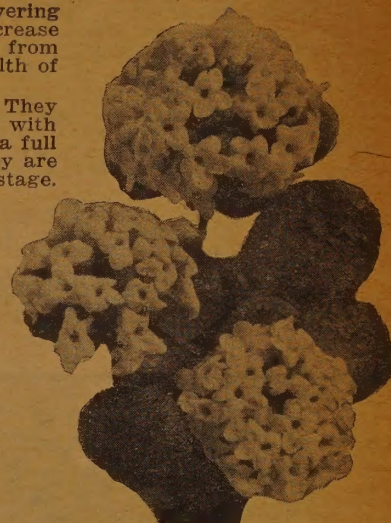
BEAUTIFUL CARDINAL SHRUB

Excellent Cut Flower—Will Bloom This Summer

The Cardinal Shrub (Weigela Vaniceki) is one of the most colorful and popular shrubs in America and because of its many uses, deserves a place in every garden, no matter how large or small. While it makes an excellent graceful lawn specimen it is equally adapted to the crowded, mixed shrub border. It blends with other shrubs and evergreens and will make a most attractive hedge. When allowed to grow naturally it will reach a height of about 6 ft. but can be kept much smaller by severe pruning. It makes an excellent cut flower and the more you cut it the more it blooms. In May and June every branch and twig is covered with hundreds upon hundreds of brilliant, bell-shaped flowers more than an inch across, and while we would not go so far as to call it everblooming, it does produce a surprising number of flowers scattered over the plant during the balance of summer and early fall. The Cardinal Shrub is not particular as to soil, will thrive in full sun or light shade and is hardy to about 15° below zero. 18-24 in. plants, (\$1.85 each); (3 for \$4.95)

NEW! PINK PUSSY WILLOW

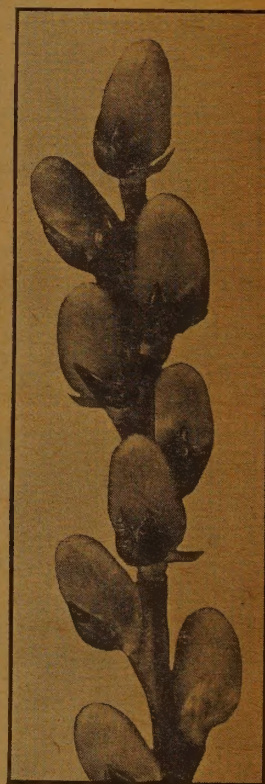
Burgess' new Pink Pussy Willow is far superior to any other variety we have ever seen. Grows approximately 4 ft. high so has many uses in the foundation planting or the mixed shrub border. Never grows rank like the older varieties and can be cut year after year for winter bouquets. The huge "catkins" or "Pussies" open silvery-gray, turning to pink and then to gold. Blooms very early in March. 18/24" (\$1.50 each) (3 for \$4.00)



Korean Pink Snowball

KOREAN PINK SNOWBALL

Fragrant Viburnum Carlesii. One of the earliest shrubs to bloom in the spring. Dwarf, compact shrub to about 4 ft., with silvery-green foliage. The large, globular clusters of beautiful flowers, which completely cover the bush in May, are white tinged with pink and have the fragrance of the trailing arbutus. Probably Korea's greatest gift to our gardens. 12/18" size. (\$2.50 each) (3 for \$6.75)



Pink Pussy Willow



GIANT TULIP TREE

The Tulip Tree (*Liriodendron tulipifera*) is a beautiful, rapid-growing tree that attains a height of 80 ft. or more. Flowers appear in June and resemble greenish-yellow tulips, of gigantic size. Leaves are beautiful, glossy-green and in the fall they turn to brightest yellow. Makes a wonderful specimen tree for any lawn. Wonderful planted in groups on the farm or large homestead. 3 to 4'. (\$1.95 each) (3 for \$5.25)



RED BUD The Judas Tree

A very ornamental tree of medium size, with perfect heart-shaped leaves, the Red Bud (*Cercis canadensis*) blooms early in the spring before the leaves appear, covering the branches with small rosy-pink, pea-shaped flowers. 2 to 3'. (\$1.25 each) (3 for \$3.40)



FIERY CRIMSON CRAB

Almey Crab. One of the most sensational of all spring flowering trees and in our opinion the finest of the flowering Crabs. One-inch, fiery-crimson blooms completely cover the tree in early spring but its beauty does not end there. In the fall, every twig is laden with small, scarlet Crab-apples that cling long after the leaves have fallen. Normally grows 12 to 15 ft. high but can be pruned to an 8 ft. bush for the shrub border. 3 to 4 ft. trees (\$2.25 each) (3 for \$6.00)



SUNBURST HONEYLOCUST

No Seed Pods to Litter Lawns

This beautiful and sensational new Sunburst Honeylocust (Plant Pat. 1313) has bright, golden foliage on 8 to 10 inches of every branch tip which sharply contrasts with the rich green foliage on the rest of the tree. Transplants easily and will thrive from coast to coast. 3 to 4 ft. trees. Grows to 50 ft. (\$4.65 each) (3 for \$12.50)



SUGAR MAPLE

The Aristocrat of Shade Trees

The Sugar Maple (*Acer saccharum*) is a broad, spreading, symmetrical tree, growing to 60 ft. in height. Deep green foliage turns to red, yellow and orange in the fall. One of the longest-lived shade trees. It grows in almost any situation. 3 to 4 ft. trees. (\$1.60 each) (3 for \$4.30)



NIOBE WEEPING WILLOW

Niobe (*Salix niobe*) is the best and most beautiful of the weeping trees, its broad spreading branches arching in cascades clear to the ground. A rapid grower to 35', it makes a perfect ball of lovely green. It thrives in wet or dry soil, makes a perfect background for any planting. Its amazingly swift growth provides color, shade and fresh green almost over night. 3 to 4'. (\$1.60 each) (3 for \$4.30)

Burgess' HARDY TREES

For Shade, Street and Wonderful Bloom

Listed and pictured on this page are what we consider to be the best lawn and shade trees. All of them are winter-hardy here in Michigan, where the temperatures go well below zero.

The Flowering varieties make attractive lawn specimens when planted singly or in clumps of three and are also suited to the tall shrub border where they can be trimmed to 8 or 10' high. All are sturdy, young, healthy, state-inspected trees. Young trees transplant more readily than older ones and usually in two or three years are equal to or larger in size than much larger trees set out at the same time.

In addition to the varieties here, consider also the Nut Trees on Page 60 that make the finest shade trees in the world.

White Clump Birch

In recent years there has been much demand in landscape planting for the white barked Birch (*Betula alba*) in clumps of several separate trunks. Grown in this manner, they develop into most attractive specimens for the lawn where they grow 30 to 40 ft. high. We have found that separate trees on their own roots in one hole make better specimens than a single root with numerous trunks. We suggest clumps of 3 to 5 trees. Perfectly hardy anywhere in the North but not recommended for warm climates. 3 to 4 ft. (3 trees \$2.65) (5 trees \$4.25)



Clump Birch USDA Photo

CRIMSON KING MAPLE

Colorful from Spring to Fall

The deep maroon-purple of Crimson King (Pat. 735) makes it really King of the Maples. Grows to 60 ft. and maintains its wonderful coloring from earliest spring right through the season. The perfect street or specimen tree, beautiful from the first year you plant it. 3 to 4 ft. (\$3.95 each) (3 for \$10.80)



Crimson King Maple

Hardy Northern CHINESE ELM

The Fastest-Growing
Hardy Tree

You need not wait 20 years for shade, as the Chinese Elm (*Ulmus pumila*), grows to 40' with 20' spread in 5 years. It has dense, dark green foliage; the first shade tree to put out leaves in the spring and the last to shed them in the fall. Thrives on either rich or poor soil, resists drought and makes a fine showing even if neglected. It succeeds in all parts of the U.S., including both the cold and semi-arid regions, and thrives everywhere except on low, wet ground. 3 to 4'. (\$1.35 each) (3 for \$3.65)



Chinese Elm

HARDY MAGNOLIA

Magnolia Soulangeana. Probably the most beautiful of all flowering trees. When its delicate blossoms appear before the leaves, early in the spring, it is a breathtaking sight for about 6 weeks. Sometimes it blooms again in the fall. Perfectly hardy in central Mich. Blossoms 8" across. After blossoming the very large leaves are themselves very beautiful. 18 to 24", ready to bloom. (\$4.50 each) (3 for \$11.95)



Magnolia Soulangeana

**Easy To
Grow**

**Grow
More**

NUT TREES

**Nutritious
Food**

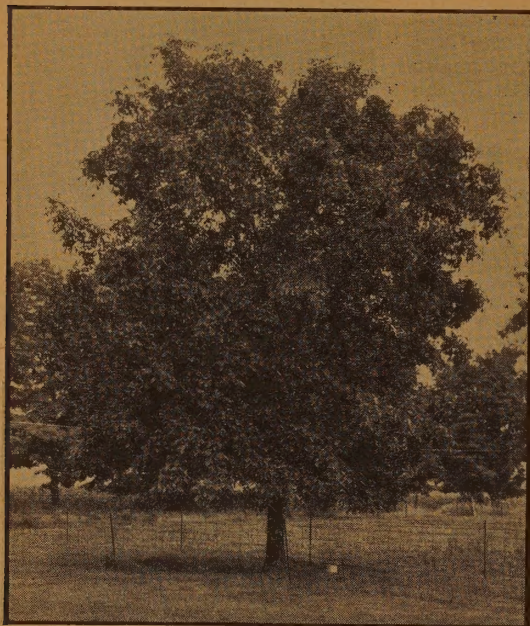
• A Fascinating and Profitable Hobby — Beautiful, Sturdy Shade Trees •

More nut trees are being planted every year, not only on farms but in city lawns where they have a dual purpose in the home landscape. They adapt themselves to metropolitan conditions, are easily grown and will doubly reward you with a crop of nuts in the fall. Farm and suburban areas have miles of fence row that can be profitably planted to nut trees. Butternuts, Chestnuts, Pecans and Walnuts are tall, sturdy trees, rated among the finest American shade trees. Almonds will beautify the landscape every bit as well as the Flowering Crabs, Dogwoods, etc., while Filberts are at home in the tall shrub border.

Nuts of all kinds are highly nutritional and have almost unlimited uses in the daily diet, and to harvest your own can be sheer delight. Any you produce beyond your own needs will always find a ready market.

Large nut trees do not move well but the sizes we offer transplant easily and grow rapidly when once established. Our "Blizzard-Belt" strains are perfectly hardy here at Galesburg and will flourish farther north than any we know of, as well as being adapted to other climates south, east and west. Butternuts, Chestnuts and Walnuts, both the Black and Carpathian, as a rule are dependable bearers here. The Almonds, Filberts and Pecans do not always produce a crop where late spring frosts sometimes kill the bloom but they produce a crop often enough to be well worth planting.

Grafted trees always come true to the parent stock so you know exactly what the trees will produce but they are difficult to transplant. Seed-grown trees are more economical, take a little longer to bear and the exact quality cannot be accurately predetermined.



Northern English Walnut Tree

Blizzard Belt ENGLISH WALNUTS

CARPATHIAN ENGLISH WALNUT. A truly outstanding strain, originating on the northern slopes of the Carpathian Mountains in Poland. Perfectly hardy here in Michigan, producing thin-shelled, sweet nuts equal to the best commercial varieties. Recommended for planting throughout the Northern and Eastern United States wherever Peaches thrive. A rapid grower that should bear in 5 to 7 years. Michigan-grown trees 1½ to 2 ft. (\$3.95 each) (3 for \$10.80) postpaid.

MANREGIAN ENGLISH WALNUT. A super-hardy nut developed from trees of Chinese origin. The nuts are large and equal in quality to the finest "store" varieties. Manregian is already growing clear across the country, from Oregon to Maine, withstanding temperatures of 30° below zero without injury. Shows great promise for most of the Northern and Eastern States. Two-yr. old trees that should bear in 5 to 7 years. Michigan grown trees 2 to 3 ft. (\$4.25 each) (3 for \$11.40).

HALL'S HARDY ALMOND

Remember the price you paid for a few Almonds last Christmas? Why not plant a few and raise your own? Hall's Almond was developed in the north and can be grown anywhere that Peaches live. Forms an attractive small tree 15 to 25', bearing an abundance of pink flowers in the spring, similar to Peach blossoms. Makes a beautiful lawn tree. The nuts are large and of fine quality. 2 to 3 ft. Trees should bear in 2 years. (\$2.00 each) (3 for \$5.40) postpaid.

CHINESE SWEET CHESTNUT

Blight-Resistant—Wonderful Shade Tree

Chinese Chestnut (*castanea mollissima*) is one of the finest trees you can plant, both for nuts and as ornamental lawn specimens and the only Chestnut that is blight-resistant. Enormous crops of nuts that are larger than those of the American Chestnut and are equally sweet and good. Often bear when trees are only 3 to 4' tall. They are not particular about soil requirements but respond freely if fed and well cared for. Grows into a beautiful shade tree 50 to 60' high. Plant two trees for pollination. 2-yr. 1½ to 2 ft. (\$2.00 each) (3 for \$4.95) postpaid.

FILBERT or HAZELNUT

The European Hazelnut is a favorite with nut lovers the world over but few people realize that it will grow and produce in the home garden or orchard. It grows normally into a large shrub 12 to 15' high but can be trained into a small tree. Perfectly hardy wherever Peaches grow. Here in Michigan and similar climates it is best to plant where sheltered from north and west winds that sometimes damage the pollen-bearing catkins in winter. Two different varieties are required for pollination.

BARCELONA. The leading commercial variety in the U. S. and the kind most often found in the stores. An excellent companion to plant with Royal. 3 to 4' (\$2.75 each) (3 for \$7.50) postpaid.

ROYAL. The largest of all Filberts and the heaviest producer. Top quality, well-filled sweet nuts that ripen here in September. We recommend it as the world's finest Filbert. 3 to 4'. (\$3.50 each) (3 for \$9.50) postpaid. Special! One each of Barcelona and Royal for only \$5.50.

THOMAS BLACK WALNUT

Largest of All Black Walnuts

With the improved quality of Grafted Black Walnuts it is hardly worthwhile to plant seedlings of uncertain quality that take many years to come into bearing. Grafted trees will cost more originally but will commence to bear when only 3 or 4 years old and when once established will grow faster than the average seedling tree. Thomas was the first variety ever to be grafted and is still the most popular for commercial planting. Hundreds of acres of Thomas have been planted in all parts of the country, producing a profitable crop of fine quality nuts. Crack out about 85% quarters and halves. 2 to 3 ft. Grafted Trees (\$3.95 each) (3 for \$10.80) postpaid.

HARDY NORTHERN PECANS

The Pecan (*Carya Pecan*) is a splendid and beautiful shade tree which will reward you with a crop of delicious nuts. It is an ideal tree for the lawn, does not shed its leaves until late in the fall and is practically immune to insects in the North. Nuts of good size and excellent quality. Perfectly hardy here in Michigan but bloom frequently damaged by late spring frosts. Selected seed-grown stock from the finest Northern paper-shell trees. Two trees required for good pollination. 2-yr. 12 to 18 in. (\$1.25 each) (3 for \$3.40), postpaid.

DWARF HARDY ALMOND

Grows Only 6 to 8 Feet High

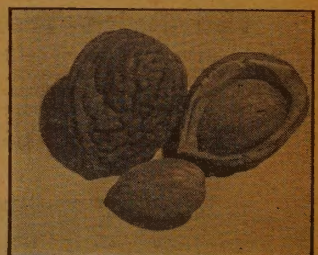
A beautiful, dual-purpose tree for the small lawn. We can now offer the popular Hall's Hardy Almond on a dwarf root-stock. The same beautiful Almond blossoms in early spring and the same fine quality nuts in the fall, all produced on a dwarf tree that rarely exceeds 8 ft. in height. Plant in clumps of three or as a single specimen. 2 to 3 ft. trees (\$3.75 each) (3 for \$9.95) postpaid.



Northern Pecan



Thomas Black Walnut



Hall's Hardy Almond

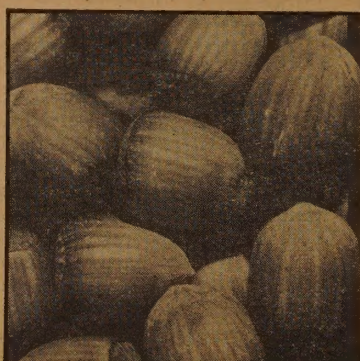
Nut Orchard Collection

One Tree each of:

Chinese Chestnut
Thomas Black Walnut
Hardy Northern Pecan
Carpathian English Walnut
All 4 Trees \$9.95



Carpathian Walnut



Royal Filbert



Manregian Walnut



Chinese Chestnut—USDA photo

BURGESS' BLIZZARD BELT FRUIT TREES

All Burgess' Fruit Trees and Bushes are grown in the Midwest where the severe winters make them tough and hardy. The trees on this and the following two pages, with the exception of Mulberry, are shipped from our Iowa growing station, the ideal climate for strong, sturdy trees. All other fruit trees and bushes are shipped direct from Galesburg. Actual delivery time from Iowa is no longer, but a few extra days should be allowed to permit us to transmit Fruit Tree orders to our branch shipping station. See Garden Supply pages for sprays and sprayers.

Three Years Old
6 to 7 ft. High

JUMBO SIZE FRUIT TREES

Shipped by
Prepaid Express

These are the largest size of all and will make a wonderful showing for you, even the first year. Cherries, Peaches and Plums are old enough to commence bearing the first year after setting. Apples are 3 yrs. old now and usually bear at 5 to 8 yrs. depending on variety. Pears usually start the 5th year.

Jumbo Size trees are shipped by EXPRESS (They are too big to mail) and WE pay the express but due to minimum charges we cannot accept an order for less than 3 trees in this size. Please specify your Express Station on the order blank.

(any 3 Trees \$8.95), 4 to 6 Trees (\$2.75 each), 7 or more Trees (\$2.65 each). EXPRESS PREPAID.

NOTE: Because they must be shipped by Express, we must have the name of your Express Office.

Your Choice of any of the Jumbo Trees Listed Below

JUMBO SIZE APPLES

Anoka, Fireside, Grimes Golden, Jonathan, McIntosh, Northwest Greening, Red Delicious, Stayman's Winesap, Yellow Delicious and Yellow Transparent.

JUMBO SIZE PEARS

Bartlett and Clapp's Favorite.

JUMBO SIZE CHERRIES

Black Tartarian, Kansas Sweet, Montmorency and Royal Anne (Napoleon).

JUMBO SIZE PLUMS

Italian Prune, Mammoth Golden and Stanley Prune.

JUMBO SIZE PEACHES

Belle of Georgia, Elberta, Hale-Haven and Red Haven. Only Those Listed Above Available in Jumbo Size.

"BEARING SIZE" ORCHARD COLLECTION

- 1—APPLE, Red Delicious
- 1—PEACH, Elberta
- 1—PEACH, Red-Haven
- 1—PEAR, Bartlett
- 1—SOUR CHERRY, Montmorency
- 1—PLUM, Stanley Prune

All six (6)
only \$12.95
Prepaid Express

NORTHERN GROWN APPLE TREES

GRIMES GOLDEN—Heavy Annual Bearer

The best fall Apple for the home garden and one of the best pollinizers for other Apples. Tree very hardy and one of the heaviest bearers known. Fruit, medium size, golden-yellow and of delicious, sub-acid flavor. Ripens mid-September.

HARALSON—Hardest of All

Hardest of all winter apples. Big, red, juicy fruit of delicious flavor. Bears every year and the fruit keeps all winter. The perfect cooking apple and a heavy producer. Ripens late September.

DARK RED JONATHAN

Winter. A beautiful bright red apple, medium size. Is much in demand as a fancy apple. Tender, crisp and very juicy with a fine flavor. Comes into bearing rather young. Ripens mid-October.

LODI—Early Summer Apple

Fruit is large, pale yellow, changing to yellowish-white. Very productive and bears an annual crop of high quality fruit. An improvement over Yellow Transparent and one of the finest cooking Apples.

RED MCINTOSH—Delightful Flavor

Winter. Medium size, deep crimson, highest quality, juicy, sub-acid in flavor, with a characteristic aroma. Due to its high quality and attractive appearance, it commands a ready sale at fancy prices. Comes into bearing about the fourth year. A reliable cropper. Ripens mid-September.

NORTHERN SPY—For Cookin' or Eatin'

Winter. Large red striped, juicy, mild sub-acid, with a rich delicious flavor. Extra long keeper. None better for cooking or eating out of hand. Ripens late October.

NORTHWEST GREENING

Large, green cooking Apple, preferred by many housewives for sauce and pies. Hardest of the Greenings. Ripens mid-October.

RED DELICIOUS—Universally Popular

Winter. Large, brilliant dark red. Flesh fine grained, tender, crisp and juicy. Mild in flavor. Has a decided aroma which is very pleasing. A splendid keeper, and an ideal apple for the fancy box trade. The tree is hardy, vigorous and productive. Bears about the fourth year. Ripens mid-October.

RED DOLGO—Crab-apple

One of the best Crab-apples for pickles, jellies and apple sauce. Attractive enough for a lawn specimen and produces an unbelievable crop of bright red fruit. Extremely hardy.

STAYMAN WINESAP—Reliable Cropper

Winter. Large, deep red skin, juicy, with pleasing sour flavor. Comes into bearing about the fourth year and is a reliable annual cropper. Ripens late Oct.

YELLOW DELICIOUS—Sweet and Juicy

The most popular of all yellows. It's sweet, juicy and finely flavored. Bears early. Keeps well. One of the best winter apples. Ripens mid-October.

YELLOW TRANSPARENT—Early "Cooker"

Summer. The earliest apple. Produces good crops when trees are four to five years old. Skin pale yellow. Flesh white, crisp, juicy and mildly sub-acid. Excellent eating and cooking apple. Ripens in early August and continues in season until September.

APPLE TREE PRICES

Two-Year Old Trees		1 to 3 Trees each	4 to 6 Trees each	7 or More each
3 to 4 Ft.,	7/16" Caliper.....	\$1.45	\$1.35	\$1.30
5 to 6 Ft.,	1 1/16" Caliper.....	2.15	2.05	1.95



Red Delicious

ANOKA—Often Bears 2nd Year

Early summer red apple. Begins to bear a year or two after planting. Very hardy. Can be grown anywhere in the U. S. Fruit ripens in August and keeps well.

BEACON—Best of the Earlies

Best early Apple. Solid bright red color, fine flavor, both fresh and cooked. Very hardy and a heavy bearer. Ripens in August.

FIRESIDE—Minnesota Delicious

A new Apple of delicious flavor, developed by the University of Minnesota, so you know it is hardy. Striped red fruit with crisp, juicy flesh. Better than Delicious as it never gets mealy. Bears every year and keeps all winter. Ripens in September.

5 IN 1 APPLE

5 Varieties—All on One Tree

Imagine a whole Apple orchard all on one backyard tree! Five of the most popular varieties, RED DELICIOUS, JONATHAN, MCINTOSH, YELLOW DELICIOUS and YELLOW TRANSPARENT. Bushels of Apples from summer until late winter!

5-in-1 Apple tree

4/6 ft. high (\$3.95 each)
(2 trees for \$7.50)



Jonathan

"Super-Hardy"

BLIZZARD BELT

APPLE COLLECTION

The Super Hardy Apples have been developed in the far northern State Experiment Stations and are producing heavy crops even in Minnesota. They will produce crops of excellent quality fruit farther North than ever before possible, and are equally at home in the Central and Midwest states. All are fully described in the column to the left.

- 1—Anoka
- 1—Beacon
- 1—Fireside
- 1—Haralson

3 to 4 Ft. Size

All 4 only \$4.50
Prepaid



Montmorency

SOUR PIE CHERRIES

EARLY RICHMOND. The standard early sour Cherry, ripening ten days ahead of Montmorency.

LARGE MONTMORENCY. Large red cherry. The leading commercial and home garden variety. Best of all sour cherries and the most productive.

METEOR. A cross between Montmorency and a Russian variety. Hardier and better than either of its parents and needs no pollinizer. The finest pie cherry ever offered.

SOUR CHERRY PRICES

Jumbo Size Trees Listed on Page 61	1 to 3 trees each	4 to 6 trees each	7 or more trees each
3 to 4 Ft., 7/16" Caliper.....	\$1.80	\$1.70	\$1.60
5 to 6 Ft., 11/16" Caliper.....	2.40	2.30	2.20

All Prepaid

SOUR CHERRY COLLECTION

One Tree each of Meteor, Montmorency and Early Richmond in 3 to 4 ft. size.

All 3 Trees, \$4.50
Postpaid



Bartlett Pear

Best Choice PEAR COLLECTION

1—Bartlett 1—Golden Spice
1—Clapp's Favorite

3 to 4 Ft.

All 3 only \$4.50 Prepaid

NORTHERN SWEET CHERRIES

Sweet Cherries must have a second variety near-by for proper pollination.

BING. Few sweet cherries equal Bing in size, attractiveness and quality. Almost black; early; bears abundantly.

BLACK TARTARIAN. Purplish-black; flesh tender; juicy and rich. Produces immense crops. Ripens earlier than Bing. Considered the best pollinizer for other Sweets.

KANSAS SWEET. Developed in Kansas, it is extremely hardy. Fruit large, dark red and very sweet. A good bearer and succeeds where others fail.

ROYAL ANNE (Napoleon). Yellow with bright red cheek; very large, meaty and sweet. Very productive; bears young.

SWEET CHERRY PRICES

	1 to 3 trees each	4 to 6 trees each	7 or more trees each
3 to 4 ft. 7/16" Caliper	\$2.00	\$1.90	\$1.80
5 to 6 ft. 11/16" Caliper	2.75	2.65	2.55

All Postpaid.

SWEET CHERRY COLLECTION

3 to 4 ft. Size

1 Bing, 1 Black Tartarian,
1 Royal Anne, 1 Kansas Sweet
All 4 Trees \$6.70 Postpaid

QUICK BEARING CHERRY COLLECTION

1—Montmorency Sour

1—Kansas Sweet

1—Royal Anne Sweet.

Big 4 to 5 Ft. Size.

**All 3 Trees
only \$5.65**

Prepaid



RUSSIAN MULBERRY

Save Your Cherry Crops by Planting Mulberries
for the Birds

The Russian Mulberry (*Morus tartarica*) is a rapid growing tree that bears an abundant crop of edible fruits resembling blackberries in appearance. They have an excellent flavor and make delicious pies and jams. A few Mulberry trees planted near your cherry trees or berry plants will save you many times their cost as the birds seem to prefer Mulberries to the other fruits. Two or more trees are required for pollination. Size 3 to 4 feet (\$1.00 each) (3 for \$2.70) prepaid.

HARDY NORTHERN PEAR TREES

Our Northern-Grown Pear trees can be depended upon to bear fruit year in and year out, and the four varieties listed below are considered to be the best of all. The pear is also one of the loveliest of all flowering trees, and a wonderful addition to the landscape where beauty as well as fruit is wanted. Two varieties will provide better pollination.

BARTLETT. The most popular pear for both home use and market. Large, golden yellow with reddish blush on the sunny side. Flesh tender, melting and juicy with a delicious flavor. Tree vigorous; bears abundantly. Ripens in September.

CLAPP'S FAVORITE. Similar to Bartlett but ripens a week earlier. An excellent pollinizer to make your Bartlett Pears produce more fruit.

COPE'S SEEDLESS. A fruit sensation without waste. No seeds or core, so you use the entire fruit. Large, golden-yellow with a slight blush. Tender, sweet and delicious flavor. Hardy and very productive. Requires no pollinizer but will bear heavier if another tree is nearby. To retain absolute seedless qualities it should not be planted near ordinary pears.

GOLDEN SPICE. Sweetest of all Pears, with a delicate, spicy flavor. Small in size, making it ideal for preserves or pickling whole. Originated by the Minnesota Fruit Breeding Farm so is extremely hardy.

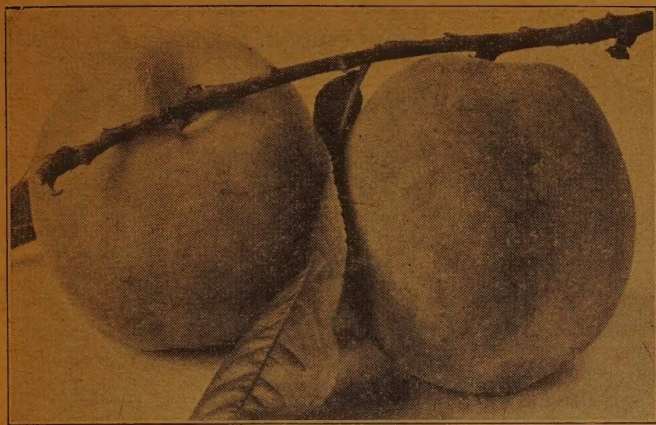
PEAR TREE PRICES	1 to 3 trees	4 to 6 trees	7 or more
3 to 4 ft. 7/16" Caliper	\$1.80	\$1.70	\$1.60
5 to 6 ft. 11/16" Caliper	2.30	2.20	2.10



5 Luscious Pear Varieties All on One Tree

Most Pear varieties do not bear when planted alone but five varieties on one tree assures perfect pollination of all five and extends your fresh fruit season from Aug. to Nov. Bartlett, Clapp's Favorite, Kieffer, Douglas and Seckel, all on one 4 to 6 ft. tree.

5 in 1 Pear Trees, \$3.95 ea., 2 for \$7.50



Elberta

ELBERTA. The most popular peach. Large, yellow with red cheek; flesh yellow, firm, juicy, highly flavored, rich and sweet; exceedingly prolific, sure bearer and hardy. An ideal mid-season variety. Freestone. Mid-September.

BARGAIN PEACH COLLECTION

1 Elberta
1 Golden Jubilee
1 Hale Haven
1 Belle of Georgia
All 4 Trees 2 to 3 Ft. Size, \$2.95

"Blizzard Belt" PEACHES

Our peaches are grafted to hardy northern-grown understock so we know they will do well anywhere within the Peach range. Listed below are the varieties we have found to be most popular. All Peaches listed in this catalog are self-fruitful.

BELLE OF GEORGIA. Very large, white fleshed with red cheek; firm, juicy and excellent flavor. Very hardy and grows with equal success in both North and South. Productive; early; stone semi-free to free. August.

GOLDEN JUBILEE. An early, yellow, freestone Peach of the very best quality. Similar to Elberta, but ripens about one month earlier.

HALE-HAVEN. A cross between South Haven and Hale. Freestone, strong grower, very hardy and a heavy bearer. Late August.

MARQUETTE. Will grow and ripen fruit farther north than any other Peach we know of. It originated in the Northern Peninsula of Michigan near Marquette and is being grown successfully as far north as east-central Wisconsin. Fruit medium size, freestone, white-fleshed and of excellent flavor.

MAYFLOWER. A favorite for early market and home use, especially in the South. White skin, blushed red. Late July.

RED-HAVEN. A new variety rapidly becoming the leading early Peach. Large fruit, almost solid red, with firm yellow flesh, sweet and tender. Freestone. Mid-Aug.

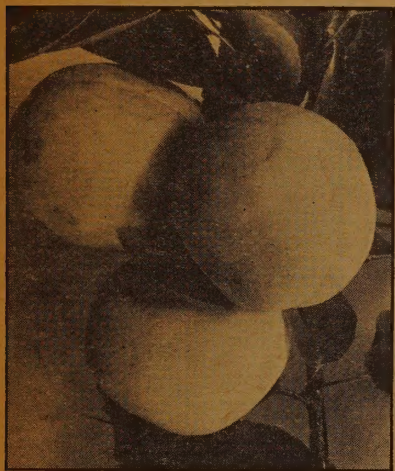
ROCHESTER. Only good sized yellow freestone peach of fine quality ready for market the middle of August in the North. Large, yellow with a most attractive red blush; juicy, delicious and keeps well. Strong grower, good bearer and very hardy. The best table Peach of all.

SUN HAVEN. A top-quality, extra early Peach. Medium large, bright red and gold. Flesh clear yellow, firm, fine-texture and good flavor. Ripens 40 days earlier than Elberta.

PEACH TREE PRICES

	1 to 3 trees	4 to 6 trees	7 or more
3 to 4 ft. 7/16" Caliper	\$1.45	\$1.35	\$1.25
5 to 6 ft. 11/16" Caliper	2.15	2.05	1.95

All Postpaid



BLIZZARD-BELT APRICOTS

Apricots are not only delicious for eating fresh but they have the highest Vitamin "A" content of any of our commonly grown fruits.

CHINESE EARLY GOLDEN. A new freestone variety with fine flavor. Skin smooth and fuzzless. Pale orange color, medium size.

MOORPARK. The best flavored of all Apricots. Extra large, fine flavor and very productive. Freestone. Ripens August.

NEW MANCHU. The finest of all for the North. Very hardy, productive and fine quality. Originally from Manchuria, it is hardy even in the Dakotas. Sweet and fuzzless.

PRICES: 3 to 4' Size (\$1.95 each) (3 for \$5.50) ppd.

SUMMER LONG EVERBEARING PEACH

Ripens August to September

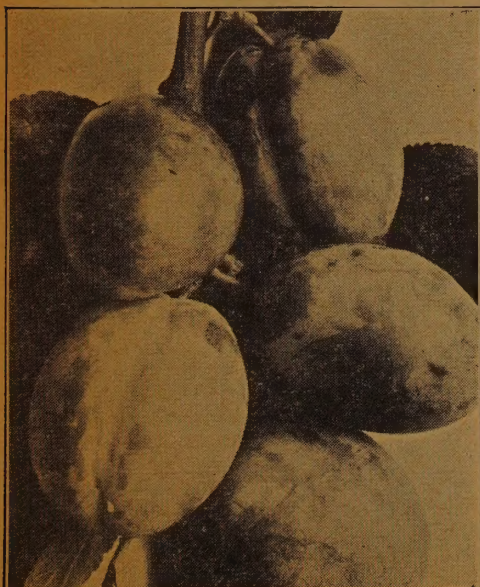
The perfect backyard Peach that ripens over a two-month period. No wasted fruit by having them all ripen at once. Enjoy them all as they ripen a few at a time. Medium size, freestone fruit with golden-yellow flesh; juicy, sweet and excellent quality. Bears young, usually the second year after planting. (Pat. 1503) 4 to 5 ft. trees. (\$2.95 each) (3 for \$8.70) postpaid.



APRICOT BARGAIN COLLECTION

One (1) each of Chinese Early Golden, New Manchu and Moorpark.

3 TO 4 FT. SIZE
All 3 only \$4.95
Prepaid



Stanley Prune

AMERICAN & EUROPEAN PLUMS & PRUNES

BLUE DAMSON. Dark purple fruit produced in clusters. Ripens late September and considered one of the best for canning and preserves. Grows only 10 to 12 ft. high. Very heavy producer. Needs a pollinizer.

ITALIAN PRUNE. Medium-sized, freestone, blue Prune. Slow to bear but a heavy producer and a good keeper. Standard canning variety. Self-fruitful. Ripens mid-September.

LOMBARD. Medium size, red, juicy and sweet. Hardy and very productive; a leading canning variety. August. Needs a pollinizer.

MAMMOTH GOLDEN. Large fruits of bright golden-yellow with a pink blush and of very fine quality and flavor. Small tree, ripens July. Needs a pollinizer.

STANLEY PRUNE. Large, dark blue, freestone and juicy. The flesh is firm, fine grained, sweet and of exceptionally fine quality and flavor. We consider Stanley to be the best Prune ever introduced for the North. Self-fruitful. Ripens September.

TOKA. Fruit large and freestone. Apricot-colored skin with rich-flavored, yellow flesh. Good pollinizer for other Plums. Self-fruitful. Early.

UNDERWOOD. Japanese-type Hybrid. Extra large, deep red fruits. Freestone; ripens early and bears very large crops regularly. July. Requires a pollinizer.

PLUM and PRUNE PRICES

	7 or more	
	1 to 3 trees	4 to 6 trees
	each	each
3 to 4 ft. 7/16" Caliper	\$1.65	\$1.55
5 to 6 ft. 11/16" Caliper	2.35	2.25

PLUM-PRUNE

Bargain Collection

1—Italian Prune 1—Underwood
1—Mammoth 1—Toka
Golden

3 TO 4' SIZE
All 4 only \$4.95

HOME ORCHARD COLLECTION

Regular Price \$13.60—Special Price \$8.95

We offer here a collection of 3 to 4' trees at an exceptionally low price. Because of the low price of this collection, we cannot make any changes in the following assortment, but if it should become impossible to furnish some of the varieties, we reserve the right to make a substitution of a similar variety.

1—Apple, Northern Spy
1—Apple, Red Delicious
1—Peach, Elberta
1—Cherry, Black Tartarian
1—Cherry, Kansas Sweet
1—Cherry, Montmorency
1—Pear, Bartlett
1—Prune, Stanley

All 8 Trees for Only \$8.95 Postpaid

FRESH FRUIT

FROM JUNE TO OCTOBER

All Plants On This Page Are Bearing Age



Ebony King Blackberry

EBONY KING BLACKBERRY

The finest Blackberry we have found and it bears every year. The berry is very large, glossy-black, richly flavored and honey sweet. Ripens early and does not get "seedy." Ebony King is so superior that we grow no other variety.

LATHAM RED RASPBERRY

Conceded to be the best main-crop red. It has more points of merit and has come into general planting more rapidly than any other raspberry. Vigorous in growth; withstands winters even in Canada; exceptionally free from mosaic and other diseases. The large berries, some running over an inch in diameter, and the deep red color make it the most attractive as well as the most productive for home or market.

BLACK HAWK RASPBERRY

Introduced by Iowa Experiment Station and promises to replace all other Black Caps. The berries are large, many measuring $\frac{3}{4}$ " across, nearly round, shiny black and has shown itself superior to the more commonly grown varieties. The fruit is firm with little or no tendency to crumble and because of its fleshy nature seems less seedy than most varieties. Flavor sweet to mildly acid.



Black Hawk Raspberry

NEW PURPLE AUTUMN

Bears from July to Frost

Another new berry that is ideal for the home garden. Purple Raspberries are a cross between the black and red Raspberries, with the good qualities of both and a delightful flavor all their own. Purple Autumn starts to bear in July and keeps right on producing its large, delicious berries week after week until frost. The vigorous plants are heavy producers and will not sucker all over your garden.

THORNLESS BOYSENBERRY

The Boysenberry is just as easily grown as Dewberries and much more productive. Fruit is larger and better quality and easier to harvest, there being no thorns. Many of the rich, luscious, wine-colored berries measure 2 to 2½" long. Outstanding for pie and preserves. Can be trained to trellis or fence. Requires winter protection where temperatures go below 5° F.



Thornless Boysenberry

EVERBEARING STRAWBERRIES

Home Grown Strawberries Taste Better

RED RICH. ® Pat. No. 993. The Wonder Berry of the Century. Delicious in flavor, honey sweet, large and deep red clear through. See back cover of this catalog for description.

GEM. Firm, juicy, richly flavored berries ripen uniformly and keep well. Plants set this spring will bear in August and will give you two big crops next year, spring and fall. Its long bearing season makes it a Big Yields. Easy to grow; requires no special care and will stand up well even in hot, dry weather. Next to Red Rich we believe Gem to be the best Everbearer for the home garden.

OZARK BEAUTY. Another new and outstanding Everbearer that will bear in 60 days after planting. Bears enormous crops in the fall that will rival the June crop of other varieties. The fruit is exceedingly large, bright red in color clear through, excellent flavor and firm enough to stand up well when handled. Bears until heavy frosts.

New! Everbearing CHIEF BEMIDJI

The hardest Everbearing Strawberry we have found. It was developed at Bemidji, Minn., where it survives winter temperatures of 40° below zero without protection. Heavy yielder of large, luscious berries; sweet, firm and bright red clear through. Chief Bemidji is such a vigorous grower that not only will the plants you set out bear the first summer but so will the new runner plants that they produce. We know you will like Chief Bemidji so don't miss it this year.

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Lucretia Dewberry

LUCRETIA DEWBERRY

Fruit similar to Blackberries but grows on a vine instead of a bush. Ripens a week or ten days ahead of common blackberries. The large berries are incomparably better than any blackberry. Glossy-black color; sweet and luscious. Does not spread or sucker; will climb or trail.

GROW MORE AND BIGGER BERRIES

Use famous BERRY-SET, the hormone spray that promotes bigger, more luscious berries, and makes plants bear LONGER. Simple and easy to use. Amazing results. 1 oz. makes 4 gallons. (oz. 50¢) (3 ozs. \$1.00) (12 ozs. \$3.00).

Bearing Age No. 1 Berry Plant Prices

PREPAID	Per 6	Per 12	Per 25	Per 50
Blackberry, Ebony King...	\$3.00	\$5.75	\$10.75	\$19.00
Boysenberry Thornless...	2.60	4.80	9.00	16.00
Dewberry Lucretia...	2.60	4.80	9.00	16.00
Raspberry, Black Hawk...	3.25	6.25	11.75	20.00
Raspberry, Latham...	2.25	4.30	8.00	14.00
Raspberry, Purple Autumn	3.25	6.25	11.75	20.00



Gem Strawberry

STRAWBERRY PLANT PRICES

Shipped from our Indiana Growing Station
Prices Good Both Spring and Fall

Please order in multiples of 25 only, as we do not break bundles.

	Per 25	Per 50	Per 100
Chief Bemidji...	\$4.00	\$7.20	\$13.00
Gem...	2.40	3.90	6.60
Ozark Beauty...	2.90	4.90	8.50
Red Rich...	5.00	8.50	15.00

EVERBEARING

Strawberry Collection

For those who want fresh Strawberries throughout the season, Summer and Fall.

50 Gem
25 Chief Bemidji
25 Ozark Beauty
All 100 plants only
\$8.70 prepaid.

HARDY NORTHERN GRAPES

HOME AND MARKET VARIETIES

CATAWBA. Purplish-red, bunch large, berries of medium size; rich vinous flavor, of best quality for table and wine. Late: ripens here the last of September. The best keeper.

CONCORD. Being the standard commercial blue Grape of the Northern states, Concord requires no description. The fruit is large, blue-black and of very fine quality. Ripens the middle of September in Michigan. Healthy, vigorous and very productive. A good table Grape, but grown primarily for juice and jellies.

GOLDEN MUSCAT. After years of plant breeding, scientists have succeeded in crossing the white California Muscat Grape with our hardy northern varieties and have given us Golden Muscat. The berries are golden-yellow in color, large and meaty, with very few seeds, which separate easily from the pulp. The bunches are large and heavy. Excellent quality and fine flavor.

NIAGARA. The leading white Grape. Ranks with Concord in vigor and productiveness and ripens at the same time. Bunch and berry large and handsome. Tender, sweet, juicy and excellent flavor.

SEEDLESS CONCORD. After years of experimentation and cross-breeding a perfectly hardy seedless Grape has been developed. The first of a new race of Grapes that should eventually replace the common large seeded varieties for table use. It is the Concord type, but slightly smaller, blue-black in color, and possesses the same fine flavor found in Concord.

RED, WHITE & BLUE GRAPE COLLECTION

One each of Catawba (red), Concord (blue), and Niagara (white). All 3 in 1-yr. field grown stock \$1.50 postpaid.



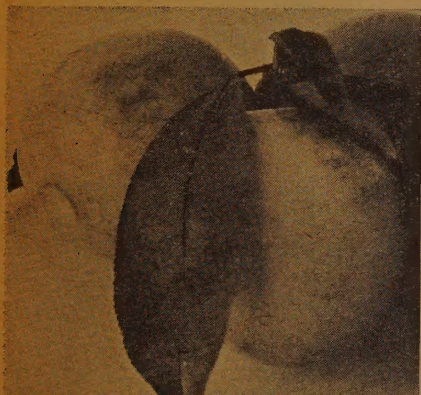
Everbearing Fig

EVERBEARING FIGS for the North

The Everbearing Fig is particularly adapted to growing in the North as it does well in either tubs or in the open ground and bears on the new wood.

The root is perfectly hardy so we recommend open ground planting wherever the growing season is long enough to grow a new top and mature a crop of fruit. Where the season is too short or where winter temperatures drop below 5°, we recommend planting in tubs so plants can be taken inside before frosts to ripen the fruit and store over winter. Plants will winter safely in an ordinary cellar. Some growers prefer to either wrap the top or bury entire plant in ground for winter protection.

The Everbearing Fig will develop a crop of fruit farther North than any other variety but to be sure of a crop we recommend tub culture north of Philadelphia. Plants bear the first year they are set out. The fruit is very sweet and delicious and of very fine quality for making preserves, jams, canning, drying or to eat in the fresh state. Root-hardy in Michigan. Top-hardy north to Tennessee. Northern field-grown plants. (\$1.60 each) (3 for \$4.30) ppd.



Hardy Nectarine

SURECROP NECTARINE

The Hardy, Fuzzless Peach

The Nectarine has been erroneously referred to as a cross between a peach and plum. It has smooth skin like a plum, pit like a peach, and the size is that of a small peach or large plum. Actually, it is a smooth-skinned sport from a peach. Excellent eating qualities and no "fuzz." It is as hardy as the peach and requires the same culture.

This is the finest of all hardy Nectarines. Fruit large, bright red; flesh white and of excellent quality. Tree vigorous and an early bearer. 2-yr. old trees, 3 to 4 ft. Self-fruitful. (\$1.85 each) (3 for \$5.00) postpaid.



Full-grown Flory Peach Bush

GROW PEACHES on a 4' BUSH

The new Flory Peach was brought home from Korea by one of our G.I.'s so is perfectly hardy and will probably grow farther North than any other Peach. The plant itself is highly ornamental, forming a perfect mound only 4' high. The bright red double flowers in early spring rival our most highly prized flowering shrubs, followed by deep green, glossy foliage. The fruit is of medium size, white-fleshed, freestone and of excellent table quality. Ripens two weeks after Elberta. Plant them in your small fruit garden, in the shrub border or as a hedge. Several can be planted in the space required for only one standard fruit tree. Bushy, 2 Yr., bearing-age plants. 12 to 18". (\$3.95 each) (3 for \$9.95) postpaid.

PREPAID PRICES FOR GRAPEVINES

	Per 1	Per 3	Per 6	Per 12	Per 25
Catawba.....	\$0.60	\$1.60	\$2.95	\$ 5.50	\$10.00
Concord.....	.60	1.60	2.95	5.50	10.00
Golden Muscat.....	.85	2.30	4.30	7.95	15.00
Higgins.....	1.50	3.95	7.70	14.50	25.00
Hunt.....	1.50	3.95	7.70	14.50	25.00
Niagara.....	.60	1.60	2.95	5.50	10.00
Seedless Concord.....	1.50	3.95	7.70	14.50	25.00
Tarheel.....	1.50	3.95	7.70	14.50	25.00

MUSCADINE GRAPES

For The South

Muscadine Grapes are highly prized for fresh fruit as well as for pies, jellies and wines and in the areas where they grow, are especially suited to the home garden. They are seldom bothered by diseases or insects so do not require the spraying that the Northern varieties do. They are recommended from central Texas east to the Atlantic and north to Tenn. and the Carolinas.

We offer you a choice of three popular varieties, only one of which will fruit without another variety to pollinate it. If you plant only one vine, plant Tarheel. In larger plantings, one out of every five or six plants should be Tarheel to supply pollen for the others.

HIGGINS. Very large, white Grape and one of the most popular. Requires a pollinizer.

HUNT. Considered the best all-purpose black variety. Early and productive. Requires a pollinizer.

TARHEEL. Small Grape of distinct flavor. The fruit is good but quality not as high as Higgins and Hunt. An excellent producer of pollen and one of the few Muscadines that will bear when grown alone.

MUSCADINE GRAPE SPECIAL

One vine each of Higgins, Hunt and Tarheel for only \$3.95.



BEARING AGE GRAPEVINES

These are 3 Yr. plants that will take hold immediately for you. We offer them in the following varieties only: CONCORD, CATAWBA, NIAGARA. Prices: (\$1.00 each) (3 for \$2.85) (6 for \$5.35).



Northern Persimmon

NORTHERN PERSIMMON

Unusual Tree and Fruit

An attractive lawn tree that is very showy in the fall with its bright colored fruits. Bright golden-orange fruits of rich, spicy and delicious flavor. The Persimmon (*Diospyros virginiana*) is at its best after light frosts which seem to bring out its flavor. The only variety found hardy in the Northern states. 1½ to 2 ft. (\$1.50 each) (3 for \$4.00) prepaid.



Flory Peaches



DWARF FRUIT TREES

- REQUIRE LITTLE SPACE—6 to 8 FEET APART
- FREQUENTLY BEAR THE SECOND YEAR
- PRODUCE HEAVY CROPS OF FULL SIZE FRUIT

Dwarf fruit trees solve the problem of fruit growing in small areas. They are also ornamental for the lawn, come into bearing much younger than standard trees and are very productive. Seldom grow over 8 or 15' tall so that the fruit can be easily picked. Set 6 to 8' apart. They take up so little room they can be planted in places where it would

be impossible to grow larger trees. They frequently begin to bear the second year after planting, and will bear good crops within 3 or 4 years. Fruit is the same size as that borne on larger trees.

By pruning, Dwarf Fruit Trees can be trained to grow into interesting shapes, flat against buildings or walls for hedges and in the shrub border.

More Dwarf Fruits On Page 65

Dwarf Fruit Tree Collection

- I Red Delicious Apple
- I Bartlett Pear
- I Northstar Cherry
- I Elberta Peach
- I Sapa Plum

All 5 Trees For Only \$12.95. Postpaid

5-in-1 DWARF APPLE

5 Varieties—All On One
Tree That Grows Only 10 Ft. High

Now, even the smallest garden can boast of home-grown Apples from mid-summer until early winter. Five popular varieties, all grafted to a single Dwarf Tree that grows only 10 to 15 ft. high yet capable of producing bushels of top quality Apples. These trees should start to bear next year so plant one now!

RED DELICIOUS, YELLOW DELICIOUS, JONATHAN, MCINTOSH and YELLOW TRANSPARENT. All on one tree. 2 Yr. 3½ to 5 ft. high Dwarf 5-in-1 Apple. (\$5.95 each) (2 for \$10.00) postpaid.

DWARF APPLE TREES

Dwarf Apple trees produce exactly the same type of fruit as the larger, standard orchard trees. By grafting to special dwarf root-stocks the size of the trees are restricted to only 8 to 15 ft. in height, depending on variety and growing conditions. We can supply the four varieties of Dwarf Apples listed below. For complete variety descriptions see page 61.

McINTOSH
NORTHERN SPY

LODI
RED DELICIOUS

Prices of Dwarf Apples: Your Choice of the above 4 varieties in two-year old 3 to 4 ft. trees (\$2.95 each) (3 for \$8.50)

DWARF PEAR TREES

Dwarf Pear trees are exactly like the standard varieties except for the size of the tree. Being grafted to special dwarfing root-stocks they grow only 8 to 10 ft. We can furnish

BARTLETT or CLAPP'S FAVORITE

Prices of Dwarf Pear Trees: Your Choice of Bartlett or Clapp's in two-year 3 to 4 ft. trees (\$3.25 each) (3 for \$8.95)

DWARF SAPA PLUM

Will Bear The First Summer

SAPA, a super-hardy American Plum that was developed in the far North and will grow and bear clear up to Winnipeg, Canada. It will grow equally well in other climates clear across the country, and bear enormous crops even the first year, if planted early. The rich, sweet, black fruit ripens in July, bears enormous crops every year and is self-fruitful. Under normal conditions, seldom grows more than 6 to 8 feet high so can be planted right in your shrub border. 3 to 4 ft. trees. (\$2.65 each) (3 for \$7.35)

EVERBEARING RED RASPBERRY

Spring Set Plants Bear In September

SWEET SEPTEMBER is in our opinion, the largest and best of all Red Raspberries. It bears a heavy crop of fruit during the regular Raspberry season and another crop in September. When late spring frosts or midsummer droughts ruin the crop of ordinary Red Raspberry, Sweet September will still come through with a fall crop and it will bear farther South than Reds normally grow. Bearing Age transplants (6 for \$2.50) (12 for \$4.60) (25 for \$8.65) (50 for \$15.50)

EVERBEARING BLACKBERRY

Set Bearing-Age Plants For A Quick Summer Crop

The new Everbearing DeSoto Blackberry is a vigorous grower that starts bearing during the regular mid-summer Blackberry season and continues to bear until fall. The extra large, deliciously sweet berries make an excellent fresh dessert and the best pies and jams you can imagine. Also recommended for canning and freezing. Bearing Age transplants (6 for \$3.25)

66 (12 for \$6.25) (25 for \$11.75) (50 for \$20.00)

DWARF PEACH TREES

Dwarf Peaches, like the other fruits, seldom exceed 10 ft. in height when grown on dwarf root-stocks. Individual fruits are usually larger and more colorful than from larger trees and in bloom are a beautiful show of color. We can supply

ELBERTA or RED HAVEN

Prices of Dwarf Peach Trees: Your Choice of Elberta or Red Haven in 3 to 4 ft. size (\$3.50 each) (3 for \$9.60) postpaid.

NORTHSTAR DWARF CHERRY

A truly dwarf Cherry developed in Minnesota. The fruit is meaty, juicy, and attractive mahogany-red in color. Northstar is so productive that it should have commercial possibilities. Makes a beautiful lawn specimen in both flower and fruit. Two-year 2 to 3 ft. Trees. (\$2.75 each) (3 for \$7.50)

BUSH CHERRY

HANSEN'S BUSH CHERRY is suited to the small home grounds where space is limited. It makes a desirable ornamental shrub about 3' tall and produces an abundance of black cherry-like fruits that make excellent pies and jams. While classified as a Cherry it more nearly resembles a small plum. Extremely hardy even in the farthest Northern sections. Two year 18 to 24 inch plants (3 for \$1.35) (6 for \$2.60)



GIANT CULTIVATED BLUEBERRIES

Grow Right In Your Shrub Border

The cultivated forms of Blueberries are easy to grow in acid soil and are practically free from disease and insect pests. Neutral soils can be made acid by the application of acid peat or sulphur. For better pollination we suggest that you plant at least two varieties. With each order we furnish complete cultural directions. There are many varieties to select from but the three offered here are all of large size, excellent quality and heavy bearers. They grow 4 to 5 ft. high and differ primarily in their ripening season. If you don't have a garden, try them in your shrub border.

3 BEST BLUEBERRIES

Rancocas, early. Rubel, midseason. Jersey, late.

2-yr.-old plants, 9-12 in., (\$1.35 each) (3 for \$3.65) (6 for \$6.90), postpaid.

3-year-old plants, 12-18 in., Bearing Age: (\$1.85 each) (3 for \$4.95) (6 for \$9.50)

4-yr.-old plants, 18-24 in. Heavy Bearing Age: (\$2.65 each) (3 for \$6.95) (6 for \$13.00)

Giant Blueberry Collection

One plant each of Jersey, Rancocas and Rubel.

Three 2-yr. old Plants for only.....\$3.50

Three 3-yr. old Plants for only.....4.75

Three 4-yr. old Plants for only.....6.65

Home Grown FRUIT

- All Summer Long!



5 in 1 Dwarf Apple



Dwarf
Bartlett
Pear



North Star Dwarf Cherry

See **OPPOSITE PAGE**
for **PRICES**
and **DESCRIPTIONS**

Choice
**DWARF FRUIT
TREES**



Dwarf Elberta Peach



Dwarf Delicious Apple



DeSoto Everbearing Blackberry

Wonderful
Fruit!
Luxurious
Ornamental



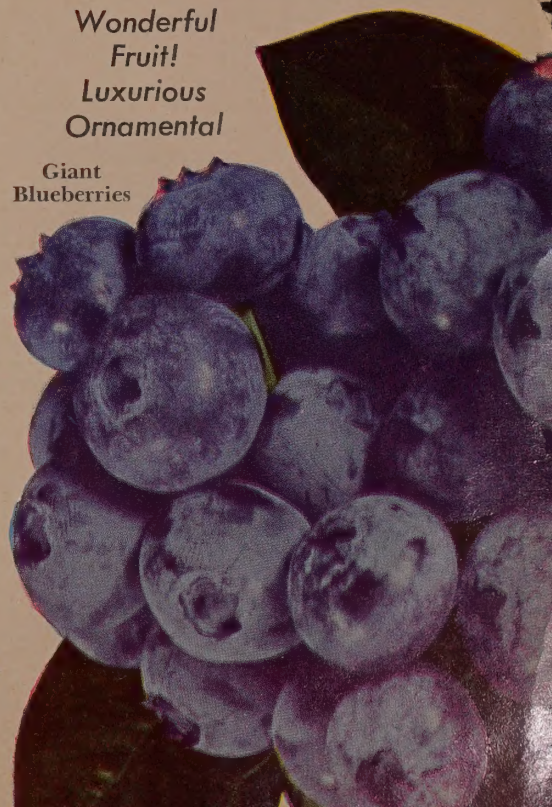
Sweet September Raspberry



Dwarf Trees
Provide Full
Size Fruit

Dwarf
Sapa Plum
Ripens
in July

Giant
Blueberries



red rich
EVERBEARING
PLANT PAT. NO. 993

Red Rich®

STRAWBERRY

*The Giant Strawberry
that Has Everything!*

- **YIELD.** Loaded with fruit. Crop after crop from June until November, and bears the very first year. 4000 quarts have been picked from a single acre the first season.
- **SIZE.** Mammoth plants and beautiful, large, firm berries that are dark red clear through.
- **FLAVOR.** Delicious and honey-sweet. Red Rich banishes the idea that Everbearers can't be sweet.
- **FREEZING.** Perfect for freezing; they remain firm when thawed and retain their deep red color and rich, sweet flavor.
- **Quality.** A midwest University reported Red Rich the best of 29 Everbearers tested.

RED RICH PRICES

(12 for \$2.95); (25 for \$5.00);
(50 for \$8.50); (100 for \$15.00);
(250 for \$32.50); (500 for
\$62.50), postpaid.



GIANT DOUBLE FRINGED PETUNIAS

Largest of All Double Petunias

With many blooms up to 5" across, these gorgeous F1 Hybrid Petunias are exquisitely fringed, ruffled and duplexed. Our mixture is well balanced in shades of rose, red, purple, pink, lavender, white and many bi-color combinations. The dwarf, compact plants grow about 1' tall and are wonderful for borders as well as window boxes, pots and cutting. (Pkt., 100 seeds, \$1.25) (Jumbo Pkt., 300 seeds, \$3.00) (1/16 oz. \$50.00).

New CUSHION CHRYSANTHEMUMS

Hundreds of Flowers on Every Plant. Cushion 'Mums are extremely hardy and produce more blooms than any other race of Chrysanthemums. Each plant forms a solid mound of rich color that continues long after fall frosts have killed other flowers. They average 12 to 18 inches in height and 2 feet across. Plant them along walks, in front of shrubbery or among foundation evergreen plantings. We offer only the best of the new varieties developed right here in Michigan for extreme hardiness and earliness of bloom.

FIREGLOW. Bright, rich red.
FOREST FIRE. Orange-bronze.
GOLD FLAME. Pure, rich, golden yellow.
LIPSTICK. Strawberry-red. The best of all bright reds.
SANDMAN. Glowing apricot.
SATELLITE. Brilliant fuchsia-purple.
WINTERGREEN. Bright, clear pink.
WOLVERINE. Pure, glistening white.

PRICES: Your choice of above 8 varieties: (65¢ each); (3 for \$1.85); (6 for \$3.25); (12 for \$5.95), postpaid.

1962 CUSHION COLLECTION

One plant each of the 8
Hardy Cushion 'Mums listed
above.
for only \$3.95 Postpaid



Cushion Chrysanthemum

Chestnut



TREE HYDRANGEA

The tree-form Hydrangea P. G. is one of the showiest of our small, flowering trees and is in its full glory in late summer and early fall, after most trees and shrubs are through blooming. The huge flower heads, from six inches to a foot long, open white in late July or early August, turning to pink as the bloom develops and finally to purplish red in late September. If cut in the pink stage they retain their color when dried and are frequently used for winter bouquets. Grows to about 15 ft. Perfectly hardy where winter temperatures go well below zero and a most dependable bloomer year after year. A rapid grower and will flower the first year after planting. 3 to 4 ft. trees, (\$3.95 each); (2 for \$6.95), postpaid.

Hardy SWEET CHESTNUT

Blight-Resistant—Wonderful Shade Tree

Chinese Chestnut is one of the finest trees you can plant, both for nuts and as ornamental lawn specimens and the only hardy Chestnut that is blight-resistant. Enormous crops of nuts that are larger than those of the American Chestnut and are equally sweet and good. Often bear when trees are only 3 to 4' tall. They are not particular about soil requirements but respond freely if fed and well cared for. Grows into a beautiful shade tree 50 to 60' high. Plant two trees for pollination. 2-yr. 1½ to 2 ft. (\$2.00 each) - (3 for \$4.95) postpaid.

Delicious
Sweet Nuts
without
Fats or Oils



Tree
Hydrangea

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